

BUTTERFLY, WHO MARRIED, thinks always of her rights, but what about her duties? See story on page 6.

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MARY PICKFORD TRIES the fun of being a boy and is "pinched" by the police. Read the story on page 8.

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KAISER WINS AGAIN UPON WEST FRONT

VERDUN LINE GIVES UNDER CONSTANT HAMMERING.

GERARD DENIES REPORT

ALLEGED INTERVIEW AT BERLIN IS REPUDIATED.

Persistent hammering by the Germans on the defenses of Verdun, northeast of the fortress has won another success, gaining them ground near the Thiaumont farm, about a mile southwest of Fort Douaumont. This advance was scored during a general attack along the entire front on the east bank of the Meuse, which, according to this afternoon's bulletin from Paris was repulsed in all other sectors with heavy losses to the crown prince's troops. The French are still holding what is known as the Douaumont-Thiaumont line and French military opinion is that they will not be obliged to fall back to the inner defenses about two miles southwest of Fort Vaux, as the guns of Souville are still able to sweep the crests running from Vaux to Douaumont.

Latest reports from the eastern front show the Russians to be continuing successfully their great offensive on a front of 250 miles or more from the Pripiet to the Rumanian border. They have already made a breach said to be 100 miles wide in the Austrian lines and captured more than 50,000 prisoners.

General Joffre, the French commander in chief, is in London. He attended an important conference at the foreign office today with Paul Cambon, the French ambassador, Sir Edward Grey, the foreign secretary, and the members of the war council.

LONDON, June 9.—A Reuter dispatch from Petrograd today reports the continuation of the Russian successes in Volhynia and Galicia. The capture of an additional 185 officers and 13,714 men is announced.

GERARD REPUDIATES REPORT.

Spurious Interview Published in Berlin Absolutely Denied.

BERLIN, June 9.—(By wireless to Sayville, N. Y.)—The American ambassador, James W. Gerard, has repudiated an interview recently attributed to him on the subject of President Wilson's peace efforts, the Overseas News Agency says. The ambassador also is quoted as asserting that Count Friedrich Von Westarp, conservative leader in the reichstag, desired Mr. Gerard to have a spurious interview published some time ago but that the ambassador declined.

According to a statement given out by the News Agency today, a manuscript containing a copy of the spurious interview was submitted to Mr. Gerard, with the idea that it was to have been published in the National Zeitung, but the ambassador refused to sanction it. The statement follows:

"Ambassador Gerard stated to a staff member of the Vossische Zeitung that he never made the utterances in regard to President Wilson's proposed peace mediation attributed to him and quoted in the reichstag. The conservative leader Count Von Westarp said that Mr. Gerard had announced President Wilson's intention to mediate for peace, and for this purpose to exert pressure on the belligerents, which he (Count Von Westarp) had desired that he have a spurious interview published some time ago by the National Zeitung. At that time Mr. Gerard told a staff member of the National Zeitung that he was unable to give him any information. On seeing the manuscript Mr. Gerard declared that it was untrue, and therefore withheld the manuscript. "Mr. Gerard makes formal denial of the spurious interview."

The state department at Washington a few days ago cabled to Mr. Gerard an inquiry whether he was responsible or two alleged interviews on the subject of peace which were credited to him in Berlin.

PARIS, June 9.—The Germans have launched a general attack along the entire front on the right bank of the Meuse and have penetrated the French line at one point but were repulsed elsewhere with heavy loss, according to an official statement issued by the war office today.

Weather for Ohio and Vicinity

Probably showers to night and Saturday; not much change in temperature.

Temperature at Solar Refinery

4 a. m. 56
9 a. m. 66
12 m. 63
3 p. m. 61

Summary of THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT

Friday, June 9, 1916.

LOCAL.

Opiates stolen from veterinary.

Police shoot dog on owner's porch.

Grade pupils get report cards.

Pythian memorial service on Sunday.

Carter criminal charges are dropped.

Mrs. Fred Zeitz dies at hospital.

Auto thief pleads guilty.

Mother of Lima woman dies at home near Kalida.

Pointers obtained for new Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. Ira P. Carnes widely mourned.

Grace church will dedicate pipe organ.

NATIONAL.

John R. McLean of Cincinnati Enquirer, dies.

Hughes, Burton and Root presented in G. O. P. convention.

FOREIGN.

Aviator is early bird who flies 14 day dawn.

French fall back at Verdun.

BRIDGE CONTRACTS

ARE AWARDED

The board of county commissioners today awarded contracts for a number of concrete bridges, to be built in Allen county.

Charles Lehman of Unionopolis, bid \$460 on the Harrod bridge, which was estimated by the surveyor at a cost of \$518. He was given the contract.

Tullis and Fisher of Lafayette, were awarded contracts for building four bridges. On the Fisher bridge in Jackson township, they offered to do the work for \$213, while the surveyor estimated the cost at 50 cents more. They were also given the contract for the Clum bridge in Jackson township, at a cost of \$227.75. The surveyor said this bridge would cost about \$223.50 in his estimate.

On the Phillips bridge in Richland township, Tullis and Fisher were the successful contractors, on their bid of \$237.50. The engineer estimated the cost of construction at \$257. M. Phillips and Son bid \$255 and were declared unsuccessful bidders.

Tullis and Fisher were also granted the contract for building the Dixon bridge in Jackson township, at a price of \$475. The engineer estimated the cost of construction at \$477.

CYRUS B. WINTERS DIES.

SANDUSKY, O., June 9.—Former State Representative Cyrus B. Winters died today at Castalia, near his home. He was at one time democratic floor leader of the Ohio assembly. He failed in health after the death of his son Clayton Winters, drowned in Sandusky bay last winter.

KILLED AT GRADE CROSSING.

TOLEDO, June 9.—C. F. Reidel, a grocer, died today two hours after his automobile had been struck at a grade crossing by an Ohio Electric Interurban car. Reidel's skull was fractured. Louis Barr, one of his companions, was injured seriously and two others were explained that smoke from a locomotive obscured his view and that for this reason, the safety gates were not lowered.

JOHN R. McLEAN IS DEAD AT HOME IN WASHINGTON AFTER A LONG ILLNESS

WASHINGTON, June 9.—John R. McLean, owner of the Washington Post and the Cincinnati Enquirer, died at his home here at 9:50 o'clock this afternoon after a long illness.

John R. McLean, owner of the Cincinnati Enquirer and of the Washington Post, was ranked as one of the most prominent publishers in the United States. His father founded the former

paper, which the son inherited. The latter increased his fortune by investments and purchased the Post.

In 1899 McLean was a candidate for the governorship on the democratic ticket and was defeated by George K. Nash of Columbus. McLean then removed to Washington, where he purchased the Post. He subsequently acquired control of the gas and street railway interests of the capital city.

5 CANDIDATES TO TRY 60 DAYS FOR VOTES OF 30,000

Wetly and Riddle Enter Race as Predicted Yesterday.

GOEKE DENIES STORY

Not Partial to Any One Man—Says He Was Misquoted.

By David W. Bowman.

Sixty days of campaigning, allowing an average of ten days to each county, Sundays included, now await the five candidates who seek a seat in the Sixty-fifth congress. Nearly 30,000 voters of the democratic faith reside in the Fourth Ohio, which indicates the impossibility of any candidate's seeing all of the democrats in the district. That would mean 500 calls a day—it can't be done. But through the medium of organizations, as many interviews as possible, campaign literature, handbills, cards, picture posters and advertising the quintet will battle for the nomination as though life depended on it. Politically speaking it may for a few of them.

Looking over the field and examining the geographical distribution, it becomes apparent that no one spot will be the battleground. There have been campaigns in which this was true.

The canvas will probably start at once, for since the law regarding primary petitions has been changed the candidates are no longer required to get the signatures of two percent of the voters of the party. That period, devoted to signature-chasing was in itself an advance campaign, for it gave the candidate an opportunity to meet many voters. Then it was that many aspirants perfected organizations. As the matter stands at present the first few weeks must be devoted to this work.

As the line-up is a new one the voters will look over the crop this year with several new questions. Changed conditions in national affairs, too—the election of a democratic administration, the rise of the preparedness issue, rural credits, foreign policies and several internal problems—will make the voters ask the candidates just where they stand on various matters.

Up until the last minute popular interest was directed to the possible action of J. Henry Goetze. All yesterday afternoon reports that he had filed were current, but investigation discloses the fact that he did not. It was published twice that he had entered his papers, but as a matter of fact he never had any.

A statement dated at Lima appeared in the Cincinnati Enquirer this morning stating that "it was announced" in Wapakoneta that Goetze would throw his support to Wetly. The Wapakoneta attorney stated this afternoon that he never made such a statement and that he authorized no one to make it for him. As for his failure to enter, after intimating that he would if Cunningham did, he merely indicated that his ultimatum of a month ago was not so worded. "I indicated that I would enter against Cunningham if it became necessary because of the absence of a strong candidate," he explained. "There are three such men in the field and I will support the man who develops the greatest strength."

Only eight contests appear in the list of candidates for the county central committee, and only one precinct failed to turn in a candidate. The list of committee candidates is as follows:

First ward A—Harry J. Lawlor.

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HUGHES, ROOT AND BURTON ARE NAMED

The Old Guard's Candidate



Associate Justice Charles E. Hughes.

U. S. CLOSES GATE TO AMERICANS ABOUT TO ENTER MEXICO

Two Villistas Hanged For Complicity in Raid on Columbus.

Five More Under Sentence of Death at Deming, New Mexico.

EL PASO, Texas, June 9.—Customs inspectors at the international bridge here received instructions early today to permit no Americans to enter Mexico from here until further notice. No reason is given for the order, which was received by telegraph from Washington.

DEMING, N. M., June 9.—Francisco Alvarez and Juan Sanchez, two Villa followers, captured during the raid on Columbus, N. M., March 9, were hanged at 6:30 this morning. The men were hanged singly.

Seven followers of Francisco Villa the outlawed Mexican leader, were to be hanged on June 9. Governor William C. McDonald on May 15, four days before the original date for the execution, granted a reprieve in compliance with a request from President Wilson, to permit an investigation into the conduct of the trial, and by the governor's reprieve the execution was set for June 9.

The seven men were tried in the district court here and convicted of first degree murder for their part in the raid on Columbus, N. M., March 9. In which 17 soldier and civilian Americans were killed, several wounded and a number of buildings destroyed. Three months later they were to pay the extreme penalty.

The condemned are: Jose Rangel, Juan Sanchez, Eusebio Reneria, Taulino Garcia, Jose Rodriguez, Francisco

Citizens in the vicinity of the L. R. Routt home, at 1045 Forest avenue, were highly indignant yesterday, following the visit of the dog-hunting patrolmen in that section of the city. According to Routt, the three men, engaged in the pastime of shooting canines, tracked his harmless dog to the porch and shot the animal while it was peacefully reposing on the veranda under a swing. This, in spite of the fact that they were ordered not to molest dogs kept on their own premises.

Neighbors of the Routt family claim that the dog was not of a vicious nature, and are greatly incensed over the affair, and claim that they will demand an explanation from the head of the police department. The owner of the dog states that although he had not muzzled the dog, he was keeping it on his own property and that it should not have been molested by police.

Persons living on Lafayette street also complained of the manner in which Patrolmen Crismonbery and Blair and Plainclothesman Roush exterminated several dogs. It is alleged that they shot a dog without regard to the nearness of a boy, who was watching the excitement. Witnesses of the incident claim that although the lad was not struck by

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NOMINATING SPEECHES START, WITH APPLAUSE FOR EVERY CANDIDATE

G. O. P. Favorite Sons Presented By Crack Orators of Party

BORAH VISITS MOOSERS

Progressives Halt, to Await Action of Republicans On Roosevelt's Candidacy, But Are Restless

AUDITORIUM HALL, CHICAGO, June 9.—After finishing consideration of their platform section by section but without voting for its final adoption the progressive convention recessed for lunch at 1:08 until 3 p. m. The conference committees are understood to be watching the situation to determine whether there is any use to try again to get together. This depended, it was said, on whether the republicans went on with nominations or desired further parleys.

The visit of Senator Borah was said by Mr. Perkins to be "another sign of the friendly spirit between the two conventions."

Mr. Perkins said he could not know what significance could be attached to the senator's visit. Some leaders suggested that Borah might be the compromise nominee suggested by the republicans.

"Anyway we are making a record for ourselves that will set us right before the country."

"No matter what the outcome we've got 'em any way," Perkins said.

OYSTER, BAY, N. Y., June 9.—Colonel Roosevelt is waiting development at Chicago. He reiterated this forenoon that he had no "present intention" of going there. The colonel was up last night until 2 o'clock talking to progressive headquarters on the long distance telephone. Two hours after he retired he was awakened and answered another Chicago call. Nevertheless, he was up bright and early this morning and appeared to be in high spirits.

COLISEUM, CHICAGO, June 9.—Governor Willis took the Ohio standard from the floor and began a march around the hall in the Burton outburst. The Ohio men followed in force. They made the circuit of the hall without another delegation joining them. The demonstration lasted twenty-three minutes.

During the Burton demonstration Chairman Harding said the plan is to take two ballots before the convention adjourns or recesses.

Progressives Hear Borah.

Progressive convention recesses at 1:08 p. m., until 3 p. m. today.

AUDITORIUM HALL, CHICAGO, June 9.—At 10:26 a. m., Chairman Robins gavel began to fall to call the progressive convention to order. The delegates quieted immediately.

Chairman Robins brought the platform before the convention at 10:49 as the unfinished business. He announced that a report would soon come from the conference committee.

Dean Lewis read the platform, section by section, each being acted upon as offered. It was expected some planks, particularly that on woman suffrage, would be debated.

McGrath and Loeb, after retiring from the rostrum are understood to have taken positions in an ante-room, equipped with a long distance telephone, connected with Oyster Bay. Frequently they came back to the platform and the party leaders buzzed with activity.

Without any preliminary announcement Senator William E. Borah entered the Auditorium hall at 12:40 p. m., where the progressives were assembled in convention. He was escorted to the platform. A tremendous ovation was given him. Chairman Robins introduced Senator Borah and the convention roared itself hoarse when the senator said he had not come officially.

"I will say to you frankly" were his first words "I come over here to an inspection."

At once a wave swept over the hall, started no one knew how, suggesting that stronger events than harmony, with Borah as the man to unite the parties, might happen. This thought grew as the senator in his speech introduced the magic name "Roosevelt," as the progressives' great leader.

"We want Teddy" roared through the hall and the galleries with more vim than at any time since the convention assembled. It was not "canned" enthusiasm, or if it was, the can had burst from internal compression.

Senator Borah waited quietly and finally Chairman Robins urged quiet. "It is well known—the deep seated affection I have for your leader"—he said, and was halted by an

Republicans Named.

CHICAGO, June 9.—Nominations of candidates began today in the republican national convention. The first was that of Justice Hughes. Governor Whitman made the nominating speech. When, as the roll of states was called, Alabama and Alaska passed and Arizona yielded to New York.

Governor Whitman's speech was interrupted by a six minute demonstration for former President Taft, which the republican peace conferees declared they considered "unofficial instructions."

Earlier the convention had heard the report of the conference with the progressives. The conference will continue.

At 11:13 a. m. Chairman Harding began rapping for order and the police began clearing the aisles. Mr. Harding urged them to be seated quickly.

The big hall was more crowded than any other day. The prospect of nominations brought in the crowd. The delegates from the favorite son states came prepared with flags and noise-making machines for the demonstrations.

Finally at 11:17 a. m. Chairman Harding got the meeting in order and the convention stood while Bishop William F. McDowell offered prayer.

Then after some preliminary reports, Senator Smoot read the report of the peace conferees.

The announcement that the conference was "frank, free and friendly," was applauded.

When Mr. Smoot came to the announcement that the progressives had urged that Colonel Roosevelt had the attributes of "the most desirable candidate upon which to unite," there was applause, cheers and some hisses.

There were cries of "Roosevelt," a jangling of cow bells and more cheers. Senator Smoot held up his hand for silence but the demonstration coming from different places on the floor and galleries continued. Some few tried to hiss down the demonstration. At cries of "order, order," Chairman Harding banged the gavel and the noise subsided. Scattering applause and some laughter marked the close of the reading. Applause and cheers marked the announcement that the conference would continue their work.

Then came the big business of the

convention—the nomination of candidates. The roll of states was called and Arizona and Alaska passed. Arizona yielded to New York.

An Arizona member challenged the yielding and the delegation was polled. All voted "aye" and Governor Whitman, of New York, was recognized and took the platform to nominate Justice Hughes. The demonstration subdued while Governor Whitman was introduced.

There was a demonstration when Governor Whitman mentioned the name of William Howard Taft. The delegates rose cheering and waving their hats and for the first time the whole body of them were on their feet.

When Mr. Whitman quoted from an eight-year-old speech of Justice Hughes declaring for "adequate provision for our defense and maintenance of the efficiency of the army and navy," there was more applause.

Governor Whitman concluded at 12:11 with the words "the great state of New York, through the lips of its governor, offers to the people of the party, to the voters of the party—no, not only to them but to the great nation—her noblest son, and her best. I nominate as the republican candidate for president of the United States Charles Evans Hughes of New York."

The convention broke into an uproar while the band played. The Hughes men in the New York delegation led the cheering. The other delegates from the "favorite son" states for the most part kept their seats. The cheers and applause, however, were general on the floor and galleries.

Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler took the platform to offer the name of Ellihu Root. Dr. Butler's speech was punctuated with frequent applause. Otherwise the convention listened intently.

When Dr. Butler finished at 12:55 o'clock by nominating Mr. Root another demonstration began.

The cheering in the New York delegation was led by former Secretary Stimson. Many of the delegates who cheered for Justice Hughes a few minutes previous, cheered just as loudly for Mr. Root.

Things finally quieted down, and when Arkansas was called the state yielded to Ohio and Governor Willis was recognized to place in nomination Theodore E. Burton.

"Governor Whitman and Dr. Butler," he began, "not being able to agree on the ownership of this elephant I claim him for Ohio."

He brought out the little G. O. P. toy elephant on wheels that had made its appearance earlier in the session and rolled it to the front of the platform. In the middle of Governor Willis' speech, the sun came out for the first time in four days and flooded the Coliseum.

He was speaking of a republican party with its face turned to the future. "And as an omen of that," said he, "the sun is shining, thank God." The delegates, weary and depressed by four days of soaking downpour, caught the point and cheered. The Burton demonstration began when Governor Willis closed his speech at 1:45 o'clock. The Ohio delegation, seated directly in front of the platform rose to a man, waving flags.

"DOVE" COMMITTEES CONFER.

Bold Short Session and Will Meet Later, After Convention.

CHICAGO, June 9.—Delegates to the progressive and republican national conventions reassembled at Auditorium and the Coliseum here today facing a situation unprecedented in recent American political party history. The progressives met at 10 o'clock and the republicans resumed their deliberations at 11 o'clock.

Uncertainty as thick and obdurate as the murky weather that has hung over Chicago for three days, prevailed, and all eyes were strained to catch the first possible clearing of the political clouds.

No man on the ground was able to predict on a basis of fact, what the next 24 hours might bring out of the haze, whether it would be harmony and a reunited republican party or disagreement and dual nominations by the two big conventions.

The day was ushered in by a mid-right conference that will become historic of "peace" committees from the progressive and republican conventions, which took place at the Chicago club on Michigan Boulevard. The conference adjourned before 1 o'clock, without definite results, it was said, and details of its deliberations were withheld. It may meet again this afternoon or tonight, or it may not. Only the developments of the day can determine that.

It was a remarkable picture formed by the men seated about the conference board, in whose hands practically rested the destinies of the republican and progressive parties.

The republican committee was composed of Senator Reed Smoot of Utah, chairman, former Senator W. Murray Crane of Massachusetts, Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, Nicholas Murray Butler of New York and A. R. Johnson of Ohio.

The progressive committee had George W. Perkins of New York, for chairman, and the other members were Governor Hiram W. Johnson of California, Horace B. Wilkinson of New York, Charles J. Bonaparte of Maryland, and John M. Parker of New Orleans.

Every member of the republican "peace" committee took part in the management of the republican convention in 1912, which brought the progressive party into being. Crane, Smoot and Butler were determined advocates of methods to prevent the nomination of Colonel Roosevelt; A. R. Johnson, then in congress, supported them. Borah was for Roosevelt, but refused to leave the republican party when Vice-President Sherman died. Mr. Butler was selected as the running mate of President Taft.

Governor Johnson was candidate

the 1912 progressive ticket. Many for vice president with Roosevelt on times Governor Johnson has denounced with great vigor the action in 1912 of the men who last night sat across from him at the council table.

Bonaparte of Maryland, constantly has been for Colonel Roosevelt and Roosevelt policies. Mr. Parker organized the progressive party in Louisiana. Mr. Perkins and Mr. Wilkinson were with Colonel Roosevelt in 1912. Mr. Perkins has been particularly prominent in the councils of the progressive party and one of its most widely known leaders.

For more than two hours the conferees discussed the points at issue between the progressives and the republicans and took up details of the peace plans projected earlier in the day by the two conventions when the conference committees on harmony had been appointed. When adjournment came it was announced that "we report progress" and the statement was made that the members of the two committees would not get together again until after the sessions of the conventions today. They prepared reports which are being presented to their respective conventions. There is considerable doubt as to just how these reports will be received by the delegates and whether leaders in the two conventions can hold the body of delegates under control while further harmony deliberations are being held.

"It is understood," said Senator Borah, after last night's conference had concluded, "that while nominating speeches will be made in each convention today, no nominations will be made."

"And," said another member of the committee, "we will resume negotiations in the afternoon or evening."

The men advocating the nomination by the republican convention of Justice Charles E. Hughes of the supreme court, declared this morning that nothing had occurred to weaken their position; stated that they believed their candidate could be nominated today and prepared to press for action on a nomination without delay.

WESTERN OHIO HEAD ANSWERS EMPLOYES

Difference of Two Cents Per Hour is Only Obstacle Now Left.

In reply to the ultimatum of the employees of the Western Ohio railroad company, President and General Manager F. D. Carpenter stated that the following scale would be offered: 21 cents per hour for the first year; 23 cents for the second, 25 cents for the third, and 29 cents for the fourth and thereafter.

At a meeting of the Brotherhood held last night at Wapakoneta, it was decided by a straw vote that unless the company conceded to their demands, they would refuse to move any cars of the company after midnight tonight. Their demand is 23, 25, 27 and 30 cents an hour.

In a letter to officials of the railroad organization, President Carpenter claims that the increase should be sufficient, as it is an increase of 6 per cent over the present wage scale. The decrease of business within the past few years is also given as a reason for refusing the demands.

According to officials of the company during the last two years ending April 30, transportation receipts have decreased \$28,888, the transportation expenses have increased \$18,884, and taxes and interest on mortgages of the company have increased \$17,475 during this same period. This shows a decrease of \$68,888 in returns from the operation of the railway.

It is the belief of officials of the road that the men affected, numbering 70, will accept the offer tendered. No attempt will be made to hire strike-breakers in case the employees carry out their threat. However, action of this sort is not looked for.

Frank DeLarge, arrested yesterday on a charge of non-support, pleaded guilty to the charge in the court of Justice Hamilton today, and was bound over to the grand jury under \$300 bond. In default of the bond he was placed in the county jail.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Ella Alexander will come from Bellefontaine tomorrow to attend the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. Ira P. Carney.

The Rev. M. C. Howey, pastor of Epworth Methodist church, delivered an address at the celebration in honor of the memory of Colonel Crawford at Upper Sandusky, Ohio, yesterday. For the past several he has been present and gave a talk. He was invited by the State Historical society to be present. Colonel Crawford led an expedition against the Wyandot Indians in 1782 and was burned at the stake.

William Hooks of the Floyd C. Whitley Undertaking company in East North street, is in Cincinnati to attend the state undertakers' convention, being held at the Sinton hotel.

Judge William Klinger returned last evening from Ottawa, where for the past two days he has held court.

DON'T FORGET THE BIG BASKET SALE AT DEISEL'S, SATURDAY MORNING.

A want ad in the Times gets results.

PEACE DOVE' CONFEREES MAKE THEIR REPORTS

G. O. P. Report.

COLISEUM, CHICAGO, June 9.—Following the report of the republican conferees of the joint progressive-republican peace conference.

To the republican national convention: Your committee appointed pursuant to the resolutions adopted at yesterday's session met with a committee of conference representing the national progressive convention last evening, that the progressive committee of conference consisted of Messrs. Perkins of New York and Parker of Louisiana.

The conference was frank, free and most friendly. The conferees were of one mind in believing that the good of the country and perhaps its reputation and influence for years to come, depends upon the complete defeat of the present democratic administration and the restoration of the control of the executive and legislative branches of the government to the hands of those who firmly believe in and will execute the policies that are so heartily supported by the republican and the progressive parties alike.

The progressive conferees were unanimous in urging with temperateness and fairness, the opinion that Theodore Roosevelt of New York had so large a personal following and such a close personal relation to the issues of the coming campaign as to make him the most desirable candidate upon which to unite.

(SIGNED) Respectfully submitted, Reed Smoot, W. Murray Crane, W. E. Borah, Nicholas Murray Butler, A. R. Johnson.

Ball Moose Report.

AUDITORIUM HALL, CHICAGO, June 9.—The report of the progressive conferees follows:

To the progressive national convention: Your committee appointed pursuant to the resolution adopted at yesterday's session met in conference with the committee representing the national republican convention last evening. The committee of conference representing the republican national convention consisted of Messrs. Reed Smoot, W. Murray Crane, William E. Borah, Nicholas Murray Butler, and A. R. Johnson.

The conference was most friendly. Immediately upon assembling your committee proposed as the joint nominee of both conventions the name of Theodore Roosevelt. The committee representing the republican national convention did not present the name of any candidate, nor did it attempt to refute our arguments relating to the unique availability of Theodore Roosevelt as a candidate to unite both parties or to serve our common country at this crucial period in the history of the world.

After several hours of friendly discussion, during which no concrete proposition was advanced by the republican conferees, except that a further conference might be desired this afternoon or evening, the joint committee adjourned.

(SIGNED) George W. Perkins, Hiram W. Johnson, Charles J. Bonaparte, John M. Parker, Horace B. Wilkinson.

BULL MOOSE CHAFF AWAIT G.O.P. ACTION

(Continue from page one) other salvo of enthusiasm, the whole convention in a mighty chant, shouting "We want Teddy," for a full minute, while Borah smilingly waited. The shouting lulled and then was resumed.

A report of the peace conferees appointed by the progressive national convention was read to the delegates by Chairman George W. Perkins, at the same hour the republican conference committee was making its report at the Coliseum.

The reports were not identical but they agreed that Colonel Roosevelt's name was the only one the progressives presented to the republicans and that the latter offered no name for consideration.

Both reports recommended time for further conferences "this afternoon or evening."

Mr. Perkins read the report of the republican committee and the declaration that the progressive members of the committee had urged Theodore Roosevelt as the "most desirable candidate upon which to unite" was so wildly cheered that the report had to be read again when order was obtained.

After listening to addresses by members of the progressive conference committee the convention resumed consideration of its platform at 12:17 p. m.

All of the first paragraphs of the platform were approved by viva voce vote; later paragraphs were approved by unanimous consent, shortening the routine process.

Women delegates were victorious in striking from the progressive platform the word male in the declaration that every male citizen is charged with the duty of defending his country and the word "his" was changed to "our" country.

The progressive convention amended the platform committee's plank on woman suffrage so as to declare for the "full right of suffrage by both federal and state action." The committee had used the word either.

CALL AND TASTE SOME OF CALIFORNIA'S BEST CANNED FRUITS AT PIPER'S GROCERY SATURDAY, JUNE 10TH. 6-8-2t

Always read the Times-Democrat want column—you can always find what you want.

Henry Hill, arrested yesterday on a charge of beating a board bill, pleaded guilty to the charge in the court of Justice Morris this morning. On agreeing to settle the amount of the bill the case was dismissed.

U. S. CLOSES GATE TO AMERICANS ABOUT TO ENTER MEXICO

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Cisco Alvarez, Juan Castillo. At the trial counsel contended that the defendants had no knowledge of where they were going at the time of the raid and that they were forced to follow Villa under penalty of death.

Jose Rangel, who was wounded and carried into court April 24, when sentence was imposed, made a plea for mercy from his cot. The prisoners have been in the state penitentiary at Santa Fe for safe keeping.

COME AND TASTE LUSCIOUS CALIFORNIA CANNED FRUITS AT PIPER'S GROCERY, ALL DAY SATURDAY, JUNE 10TH. 6-8-2t

LUNACY INQUEST.

Mrs. Anna Fish, who has been living at the Door of Hope, was adjudged insane today and at noon Sheriff Eley took her to Toledo for commitment to the state hospital for the insane.

John Moran, whose term of service in the penitentiary had expired, and who is criminally insane, having been at the state hospital north of the city since December, was adjudged insane yesterday afternoon in probate court. The action was simply a legal procedure to retain Moran in the hospital on account of his critical condition.

Specials for SATURDAY

Fine Potatoes, bushel.....\$1.35
Nice New Solid Cabbage, lb..... 5c
Fancy Sweet Potatoes, 6 lbs.....20c
Fancy new yellow onions, lb..... 6c
Fancy Old Mission California Oranges, 50c dozen size.....30c
25c dozen size.....15c
Nice Pineapples, 3 for.....25c
Nice Bright Lemons, per doz.....20c
Fancy curly lettuce, lb.....12c
Nice radishes, 2 bunches..... 5c
Fancy ripe Tomatoes, lb.....15c
Fancy home grown Strawberries, quart.....10c
Nice Sweet Oranges, doz.....12c
Nice, tender green and wax beans, lb.....10c
Fancy rhubarb, 2 bunches.....5c

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5 CANDIDATES TO TRY 60 DAYS FOR VOTES OF 30,000

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First ward B—John H. Klatt, Elmer E. Killian.

First ward C—Thomas P. Keville, Philip Brucher.

First ward E—William Hefner, Second ward A—Thomas J. Cunningham.

Second ward B—Michael O'Neill, Second ward C—John McNeer, Second ward D—Lucas J. Hanley, Second ward E—Roy Pletcher.

Third ward A—No candidate, Third ward B—Charles H. Meekley, George E. Walsted.

Third ward C—James E. Newman, Werley F. Watts.

Third ward D—Milton A. Craig, Fourth ward A—Frederick Seymour.

Fourth ward B—John R. Johnson, Fourth ward C—Henry Blosser, Fourth ward D—David E. Baxter, Jr.

Fourth ward E—Leo L. Christen, Fourth ward F—Jacob J. Haaga, Fourth ward G—Charles W. Baxter.

Fifth ward A—William M. Ash-

ton, E. E. Welker.

Fifth ward B—Daniel M. O'Connor.

Fifth ward C—W. T. Thornberry

Fifth ward D—D. W. Dorris.

Sixth ward A—J. F. Brennenman.

Sixth ward B—F. A. Stepieton.

Sixth ward C—John McAuliff.

Amanda—A. J. Baber.

Auglaize east—W. A. Winegardner.

Harrod—Milton Blair.

Auglaize west—John C. Bethel, George Heffner.

Bath—M. L. Roeder.

German—Scott Neely.

Elida—Stephen D. Critch.

Jackson—C. C. Arnold.

Lafayette—Charles Contrie.

Marion—Joseph Haunhorst.

Delphos First ward—William A. Krieff.

Delphos Second ward—Arthur F. Lindemann.

Monroe—Otto Rummel.

Cairo—Roy Cook.

Perry—James Schooler.

Richland north—John Winkler.

Blugton A—Gideon Scheublin.

Blugton B—Ed. R. Reichenbach.

John Bixel.

Richland south—J. A. Stoner.

Beaver Dam—C. A. Stodd.

Shawnee—Joseph F. Garner.

Spencer—J. J. Kill.

Spencerville A—Charles Mar-

daugh, W. G. Reynolds.

Spencerville D—J. J. Reagan.

Sugar Creek—R. W. Enslan.

CARTER CRIMINAL CHARGES DROPPED

When the case of James Carter and his wife was called in criminal court today, there was no one to prosecute the charges made against them of assaulting Walter R. Toy and his force of surveyors when they endeavored to enter their lands on the Allentown road to make arrangements for improving the same. The case was dismissed.

In common pleas court, the case of Carter and his wife against the commissioners, the city of Lima, Service Director Metheany and Contractor Enck will be appealed to a higher court to secure their decision as to the status of the case. The action grows out of the same conditions.

PAY YOUR TELEPHONE BILLS ON OR BEFORE THE 15TH, AND SAVE THE DISCOUNT. 916

POSTOFFICE ROBBED.

SPRINGFIELD, O., June 9.—The post office at New Carlisle, near here, was burglarized early today and \$260 in stamps taken. Entrance was gained through the collar and the combination on the safe solved.




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Quality Service Fashion Low Prices

Suits, Coats, Dresses and Skirts for Ladies and Misses

All Marked at Special Prices

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Batistes, voiles, crepe and ratine—pleated skirts, coat effects; fancy collar and cuffs.

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Wash Skirts Up to \$3.98, Slightly Soiled Poplin, Pique

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Special values in poplin and gabardine Wash Skirts at \$3.75 to \$9.98. Sizes 24 to 36.

Reduced Prices on Fashionable Suits

Materials are silk taffeta, silk and wool poplins, serges and gros de Londre. Suits regularly selling at \$38.50 to \$65 reduced to \$27.50, \$33.50, \$35, \$38.50 and \$40.

Taffeta and wool combination suits and gabardines, serges and poplins formerly selling at \$35 to \$40 in a lot of odds and ends are reduced to \$25.

One lot of Taffeta Suits selling regularly at \$25 to \$37.50, are reduced to \$19.75.

Suits of silk and wool poplins and checked serges, regularly selling at \$16.50 to \$36.50, are reduced to \$13.50.

Suits of silk poplin, wool poplin, fancy mixtures and checked serges, worth regularly \$11.50 to \$29, reduced to \$8.50.

Exceptional Coat Bargains

Coats of serges, poplins, plain and fancy mixtures—some with capes—colors are black, tan, navy, Copen., green and grey, regularly sold at \$32.50 and \$35, reduced to \$25.

\$23.50 to \$29.50 coats reduced to \$19.75.

Coats of Goline, large and small creek serges and poplins, some made with capes, selling regularly at up to \$25 reduced to \$10.

Coats of fancy checks and mixtures, wool and silk poplins, chinchillas, corduroys and golfinas, odds and ends of sizes, worth \$9.50 to \$19.75, reduced to \$6.95.

Dress Prices Greatly Reduced

Taffeta dresses in plain tailored styles, with double skirts, some made with coatee and long tunic. Plain colors, checks and stripes in popular colors, \$19.75 to \$27.50 values reduced to \$18.50. Up to \$19.75 values reduced to \$13.50. Up to \$15 values reduced to \$10.50.

Poplin and crepe de chene dresses reduced to \$6.50 to \$8.95.

BLOUSE DEPARTMENT

Special values in Swiss, Batiste and Voile Waists in a Large Shipment of Newest Styles, Prices \$1 and \$1.50

\$3.98 Crepe de Chene Blouses reduced to \$2.98

\$2.98 Crepe de Chene Blouses reduced to \$1.69

\$2.50 and \$2.75 Jap Silk Blouses reduced to \$1.79

THE DEISEL COMPANY

BASEMENT SALE

THE great basement store is now ready, every table is heaped full of the greatest bargains. Nothing is reserved. Everything is offered at a cut price for this greatest of all sales. Our huge stocks will make this the most complete sale ever held. Only a few of the great bargains can be offered in the papers. You must come and see for yourself the kind of merchandise offered in this sale--the best ever placed on sale and every piece fully guaranteed. Be here early and get your share

SALE STARTS SATURDAY MORNING and CONTINUES ALL NEXT WEEK

NO DELIVERIES EXCEPT ON LARGE ITEMS AND LARGE PURCHASES
No Charges, No C. O. D.'s, No Layaways, No Telephone Orders or Exchanges During This Great Sale.

Let Us Wire Your Home and the Cost Will be Small--the Saving Great

Here is one of the greatest offers. Save \$25.00 on one house of electric or gas chandeliers; these prices are so ridiculously low that all we can say is come early, they won't last long.

We can put your house in complete for \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$25.00

Assorted electric shades, all kinds and colors that sell up to 25c, 2 for \$1.00

\$1.25 mirror with towel holder and glass shelf, complete outfit for \$6.9c

Mayda or Tungston electric bulbs, the kind that gives the most light for the least money. Choice of 15, 25 or 40 watt sizes for \$21c

Here you are housewives, save \$15.00 on one purchase, guaranteed electric vacuum cleaners, will positively do the work and guaranteed for 3 years, \$9.98 to be sold for \$25.00. They sell everywhere for \$25.00.

Now comes a great bargain and we have a fine assortment, too. Electric portables and floor lamps will be sold way below cost. Lamps that sold regularly up to \$25.00, your choice for \$7.98

Lamps that sold regularly up to \$30.00, will be \$12.50

Buy a beautiful gold leaf hand carved portable base and wire frame and make your own silk shade for less money \$15.00 bases will sell at \$4.95

Picnic plates that sell 25 in a package for 10c, will be sold 2 packages for 5c, lay in your season's supply now.

Wood pails, 12 quart size, sell regular for 25c, to be sold for \$5c



Universal household family scales, weighs up to 24 pounds by ounces; sells for \$1.25, on sale at \$79c

Universal household family scales, weighs up to 24 pounds by ounces and comes with scoop; sells regular for \$1.50, on sale at \$89c

Zinc wash boards, pail size, that sold for 10c, will be sold at \$7c

Enamel cups that sold for 10c, 2c, 3 for \$5c

You will need these butter crooks in hot weather; 4 lb. size, will sell for \$5c

One pound size will sell for \$1c

Blue and white stone cuspidors that sell for 10c, will be sold for \$5c

Cuspidors beautifully decorated in floral and gold decorations; they sell regular to \$3.50, \$39c

5c scrubbing brushes, buy a supply, 6 for \$5c



Shopping Baskets, assorted shapes and styles that sell regular to \$1.50, will be sold for \$59c

Mahogany finish fancy baskets that sold for up to \$1.25, will be sold for \$10c

Sewing Machines

Now we have gone the limit here is what we are going to do; listen closely; we will sell a \$40 new type White rotary shuttle Sewing Machine, solid oak case, 4 drawer style, complete with all the latest attachments for only \$29.50, and give you in your own home absolutely free \$50.00 worth of sewing lessons with every machine. You can never duplicate this offer.

50c English earthenware tea pots are going to sell for 18c. They make the best tea.

Window awnings, blue and white striped that sell for \$1.25, on sale at \$89c

Patent window awnings that can also be used for porch drops, sold up to \$6.00, your choice for only \$1.00. They won't last long.

Climax wall paper cleaner, sells regular for 10c can, \$25c

Bath room fixtures, all to be sold for 25 per cent less.

REFRIGERATORS Almost Given Away Now

Here is the greatest coupe of all. We are absolutely giving these refrigerators away at the prices we are asking. You better be here early to get yours and not hesitate.

\$13.50 Refrigerator, 35 pound top icer \$9.00

\$15.00 Refrigerator, 50 pound top icer \$10.75

\$18.50 Refrigerator, 75 pound top icer \$13.25

\$22.50 Refrigerator, 100 pound top icer \$16.50

\$26.50 with water cooler attachment \$13.25

\$27.50 apartment house style \$18.95

\$40.00 porcelain lined box \$29.75

\$34.50 porcelain lined box \$24.25



\$39.50 porcelain lined box \$27.50

And 25 other styles to choose from is positively the greatest thing ever offered right in the heart of the season comes this house style.

Refrigerator pans of heavy galvanized iron that sold for 25c, will sell for 14c; don't be without one.

Keep Out The Flies

\$1.00 screen doors, reinforced and covered with good grade black cloth, all sizes, will be sold for \$59c

\$2.25 screen doors, hard wood reinforced frames, covered with galvanized wire cloth, to be sold for \$1.39

29c window screens, 28 inches high, adjustable hard wood frames, for \$19c

39c window screen, 30 inches high, for \$21c

Splint clothes hampers, large size with tight fitting covers, sell regular for \$1.29, on sale at \$79c



Mrs. Potts and irons, set of three irons, different weights, handle and stand, regular \$1.00, on sale at set \$59c

All paints, white lead, oil and brushes are less 10 per cent.



Stove Prices the Lowest of the Year

You had better come right down early and get the stove you want. They are all on sale. Every stove is fully guaranteed, space is too limited to tell you all about each stove, we can only quote you a few comparative prices. Now hurry or you will lose out.

\$16.50 gas stove, 5 burner, large oven \$12.50

\$22.50 gas stove, 5 burner, large oven and broiler \$16.98

\$45.00 gas stove, large high oven, canopy broiler and pastry oven, for \$39.00

Combination stoves, wood and coal stoves, 2 only, \$25.00 wood and coal stoves to be sold for \$8.00

Don't Let the Bread Go to Waste, That is More Expensive Than These Bread Boxes

White japanned bread boxes, tight fitting covers, ventilator in back, gold scroll decorated, come in three sizes, 75c size will sell for \$29c

\$1.00 size will sell for \$39c

\$1.25 size will sell for \$49c

35c best Steel Garden Trowels, for \$5c

35c best Steel Garden Trowels, with long handle \$10c

Heavy Copper Bottom Wash Rollers, Hook Handles, sells regular for \$2.00.

5 dozen Clothes Pins \$10c

50 ft Clothes Line \$25c

1 Clothes Stick \$15c

A \$2.50 Wash Day Combination, very special, complete outfit for \$1.58

Noiseless Rubber Plate Scrapers, save the gold on your china. Regular 10c for \$6c

Table Knives and Forks of good steel with box wood handles, regular 60c set of 12 pieces, Special \$39c

Slop Jars, extra large, extra heavy with tight fitting cover; made of seamless one piece body, 4 coated white enamel inside and out, regular \$1.50, for \$1.19

Wall Dusters, fleecy white wool washable. Comes complete with long handle, regular 75c, for \$58c

Office baskets, wire waste paper baskets, hampers, etc., that sell regular from 25c to \$5.00, will be sold for 75c on the dollar.

Only a few water motor washers that sell for \$15, will sell for \$9.98

Hand machines that sell for \$5.00, will be \$1.98

The new improved hand power boss washing machine that sells for \$10.00, will be \$5.98

Buy Dress Forms Now and Save--The Prices Are Greatly Reduced

REGULAR \$7.50--4 section Dress Form \$4.98

REGULAR \$12.50--12 section Dress Form \$9.98

REGULAR \$16.50--16 section Dress Form \$12.98

REGULAR \$18.00--20 section Dress Form \$14.98

COME AND BRING YOUR DRESSMAKING PROBLEMS WITH YOU; WE WILL HELP YOU SOLVE THEM.

Roller Skates For Boys and Girls

Roller Skates for boys and girls strongly made and fully guaranteed, adjustable size; regular 50c for \$37c

Nickle plated steel ball bearing roller skates, adjustable size; sell regular for \$1.50, to be sold for \$97c

You Can't Afford to Walk With These Prices on BICYCLES

\$24.50 Boys' Bicycles with coaster brake and mud guards, for \$16.50

\$24.50 Men's Bicycle with coaster brake and mud guards, for \$16.50

\$29.00 Bicycle with coaster brake, roller chain and mud guards, for \$19.98

\$20.00 Bicycle with roller chain \$14.85

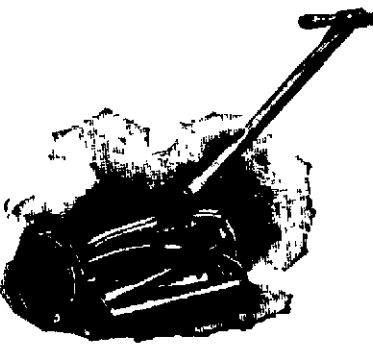
\$37.00 Bicycle, latest improved type with coaster brake, reinforced frame, mud guards, roller chain, motorcycle seat, to be sold for \$26.95

\$18 Wood & Sons English Semi-porcelain Dinner Service, with beautiful Oriental bird decoration in the famous spade blue. Blue edge, 100 pieces at \$13.89

\$40 Haviland & Co., star shape Dinner Set, with floral spray decorations, 100 piece set for \$29.98

\$18 Domestic Semi-porcelain Dinner Sets in combination floral and conventional design in blue 100 pieces for \$12.98

Improve Your Lawn and Garden at Small Expense



Lawn mowers, 16 inches wide with three crucible steel cutting blades, sell regular for \$2.95; will be sold \$1.98

Lawn mower, 16 inches wide, high wheel, ball bearing reel, three crucible blades, sells regular for \$3.45, to be sold for \$2.49

Now get busy on this lawn hose at these prices, the dry season is coming. Don't regret afterwards. 1-2 inch 5-ply canvas inserted hose for 7c ft, sells everywhere for 9c.

3-4 inch size, sells everywhere for 10c ft, its only 8c ft during this sale. This is the best ever.

Moulded hose that will not kink; our famous long service three year guarantee goes with every piece.

1-2 inch size for foot \$9c

5-8 inch size for foot \$10c

3-4 inch size for foot \$12c

Combination lawn hose, reel and sprayer, sells for \$5.00, while they last, at \$1.98

50c fountain lawn sprayer for \$34c

Hardware, yes, and at such prices it won't last long, don't miss it on this

Garden tools way below cost, everything included. 25c malli-able iron rakes, 12 inches wide, good strong handles, to be sold for 10c; think of it.

35c lawn rakes, best grade, teeth on both sides. You can get them for 18c while they last.

Chinaware Prices Reduced

An Opportunity to Save

Thousands of pieces at the most ridiculous prices. All on the most used items which sold regularly to 50c, for from 1c to 5c.

\$65 Haviland & Co. White China Dinner Set, with wide pure gold border for decoration, 100 pieces \$57.50

Haviland & Co. White Dinner Service with ivory green rim and conventional design. Regular at \$75, 100-piece set at \$57.50

\$38 Norfolk China Dinner Set, gold border on Bavarian china of excellent quality, 100 pieces to set, \$29.95

\$18 Genuine Old Blue Willow Ware Dinner Sets, of English semi-porcelain in old-fashioned shapes, 1 piece \$14.50

\$28 Hapsburg Austrian China Dinner Service, with leaf and floral decoration, 100 piece set for \$19.99

\$35 Royal Brunswick China Dinner Sets, with 18k. gold border decoration and narrow combination, floral and conventional design, 100 pieces for \$29.00

\$30 Royal Brunswick China Dinner Set, in the Evangeline shape with gold edges and handles and brown floral decoration, 100-piece set \$25.00

Thousands of the most used items that sold regularly to 75c, for 10c. All arranged on tables so best choices can be easily selected.

\$40 Haviland & Co., star shape Dinner Set, with floral spray decorations, 100 piece set for \$29.98

Adderley's Chelsea Porcelain Dinner Sets, beautiful raised blue figure. At a discount of 25%

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WHERE DO THEY STAND?

Half a dozen candidates have declared their intention of seeking the Democratic nomination for the high office of representative in congress. They have filed papers on which five members of the party attest the candidates' membership in the party. It is assumed that they want the job, and that most of them, at least, have at heart the interest of the nation, of the district and of the party. But what other qualifications have they?

Not one has declared himself openly and plainly with regard to the great questions now confronting the nation. The voters have no way of knowing what attitudes the aspirants have with regard to the problems which must come before the Sixty-fifth congress. There are propositions now under consideration which will not be settled before March 4, 1917, and the next congress must inevitably inherit many of the questions now under consideration. Where do the candidates stand?

Before the primary every candidate who hopes to be a factor in the election should be forced by his neighbors to declare his beliefs on such questions as preparedness, rural credits, immigration, federal aid for good roads and the old problem of "the pork barrel". Any man who refuses to commit himself on these questions—and there are others of less import—should be ignored in the primary of August 8.

Whenever a candidate solicits a voter for support it is the duty of the latter to ascertain what the candidate would do in Washington if elected. No intelligent citizen decides between personalities alone. He who would exercise in a patriotic manner the right of franchise must know not only for whom he is voting but what position the candidate, if elected, will assume on the great questions before congress now and in the near future. He should understand how the candidate will act toward the administration and toward the administration program. Otherwise he can never be sure of supporting the man who will be most useful in case of ultimate elevation to a position of trust and honor. And the sooner the candidates come forward with platforms the better. Congressmen are too important in the present international and internal crisis to be elected on such issues as postoffice appointments, cadetships and "pork".

THE PROGRESSIVE PLATFORM

The platform of the Bull Moose party, adopted yesterday by acclamation, is a curious document worthy of examination. While the candidate who will doubtless be nominated to stand upon it is known to be hypocritical in his professions of animosity to Wall Street and of devotion to the public at large, the planks assembled to form the declaration of faith truly rock with demagoguery of the type which plays to the galleries.

Here we find a demand for "Americanism", flouting the hyphenated Americans in no uncertain terms. It is a demand for assimilation and a call toward patriotic support of the United States instead of the land deserted by the immigrant it would be a good plank—but it goes too far. It does not urge devotion from immigrants toward the land of adoption. It insults the thrifty, industrious, law-abiding citizen by placing all immigrants in a class of undesirable entitled only to suspicion and contempt.

Then there is another plank declaring that the United States should try to make peace permanent after the European war. How is this to be done? Is this nation to assume the air of a bully and a tyrant, taking advantage of the sorry plight of Europe to force American domination upon victor and victim? Are we to police the globe?

In the final analysis this is the merest bunk.

Under the preparedness section there is a demand for an army of 250,000 men. That is just what Wilson asked for, and Republican votes in the lower house reduced it to 180,000, after which a conference committee raised it to 200,000 men. Something like advocating a move already consummated.

Regarding Mexico the Moose delegates urge that the nation utilize "every resource of the government" to "end these conditions". In other words, the party of Perkins, Armour and McCormick would sacrifice every boy in the land to protect the bribe-bought concessions owned by Wall Street.

Then there is the suffrage plank, regulation of industry, conservation of resources and a protective tariff. Do you get that? And in the platform of a party claiming to represent the common people! Regulation of industry, too—give Theodore L. more power to milk campaign contributions from corporations and trusts! Conservation—Teddy never thought about that until Taft got in.

There are plenty of other planks, but those cited above display the artful manner in which the carpenter who erected that platform trimmed the planks. Several conclusions are evident—Teddy can't run on that platform and be consistent with his known record. But who ever considered him consistent at any time? The platform, moreover, cannot be put into effect for three reasons: it is contradictory in its nature, it betrays the attitude of the trust heads behind the party and it demands the impossible. Outside of these few trifling details it is a good platform. T. R. will probably stamp it with his approval as being either "corking" or "bully".

"ANSWER REPUBLICANS"

Hon. Walter B. Riche dropped into The Times-Democrat office yesterday to see what the wires brought in from the twin storm-centers now gyrating in Cook county, Illinois. After perusing the late bulletins regarding Roosevelt's position he remarked:

"Should we not stop and think and wonder? When the representatives of a party of nearly 5,000,000 voters can't take a full breath for fear of one man—is this America or the land of the czar? Answer, Republicans."

There is plenty of food for thought in the situation, but the Republicans have little room in which to squirm while trying to figure out the answer. But what is to be expected from the representatives of a party which split four years ago because it rejected a third term candidate? The Republicans carried two states and drew eight electoral votes. The "one man" carried five states and landed eighty-eight votes in the electoral college. Isn't the G. O. P. justified in trembling? Be that as it may, Mr. Riche's trite remark is right to the point. Teddy has the Republicans in a corner and only the tribute of a nomination will bribe him to omit the squeeze play so artistically executed four years ago. Truly, party is the victim of its own folly. It set Theodore on a pedestal so high that it could not dislodge him. But Roosevelt, pedestal, party and all will topple heavily to the ground with the Ides of November.

GOOD EVENING Score cards of the congressional race include some close bets.

CLIPS

ANOTHER HOUR OF DAYLIGHT. In the city of Cleveland, which has adopted eastern standard time one hour faster than the clocks in all other Ohio cities—they are boasting that Germany also has pushed the hands of the clock ahead one hour to gain an additional hour of daylight.—Toledo Blade.

NEW NOTES FROM MOVIELAND

By DAISY DEAND

"BY FATE'S DECREE" is the title of a bluebird picture in which Dorothy Phillips will star in the near future. The male lead—played by Lou Chaney—is a young man who gives himself up to the police to prevent his father from being arrested. At this time the youth first learns that his father, although his source of income had always been a mystery to the entire family, had been a second-story man. The son is sent to prison and released on good behavior at the end of three years. In the meantime his father dies without revealing to the family his past life, or making confession that would release the son. Fortune follows the son, and he is unable to secure employment or find his family. Discouraged, he goes to a river to commit suicide. The feminine lead is that of a girl cared for by a man who forces her to pick pockets. To escape further mistreatment, she runs away and has about the same experience as the son. They meet at the river and talk each other out of taking their own life. From this time of their part the story runs through five exciting reels.

SHE THOUGHT 'T WAS SAME OF A PLAY.

In the movie studios, after a scene is completed an assistant holds up in front of the camera a slate on which is written the name of the director and the number given the play. This is for keeping track of the scenes in the developing rooms, and is necessary in studios where several directors are at work on different plays at one time.

Director J. G. Edwards was at work in the William Fox studios on a play identified as "Edward II." A visitor asked a new actress the name of the play then being made. "I don't know," she said. "But I think it's 'Edward The Second'."

AUSTRALIAN FILM TO BE SEEN HERE.

"The Martyrdom of Nurse Cavell," a film play which was made in Australia and has been drawing large audiences in Canada, is to be brought on to the United States.

TRAVELETTE BY NIKSAH.

CERRILLOS.

Cerrillos is one of those little water-tank stations that are strung along the line of the Santa Fe railroad like scattered knots on a string. It is characteristic of the little tank town that the farther westward you find it, the more interesting it is likely to be.

A first glance at Cerrillos gives one the impression that at some time or other the National Order of Bill Posters must have held a convention there. Everything in sight is covered with a chromatic riot of posters. They adorn the fences and the empty boxes the deserted mining powerhouse, even the residence section. They advertise in the primary colors every tobacco and soap and baking powder known to science or the register of trade marks.

This art exhibit puzzles most of the passing tourists, but the explanation is simple enough. Cerrillos is



Dorothy Phillips.

She has been prominent in theatrical circles for some years, and is widely known for her remarkable ability as an emotional actress, both on the legitimate stage and in photoplays.

It stars Vera Pearce, known as the most beautiful girl in Australia. In the United States the play will be named, "A Nurse's Sacrifice."

Alice Nilsson was required to work for two directors at one time when retakes for one play were required. When plans for this were being made she overheard one of the directors say they would "go her fifty-fifty." "Fifty-fifty!" she said. "What do you think I am? A grape fruit?"

visited by an occasional commercial traveler, and he always stays for some time. He has to. There is only one train a day that stops. It is the custom of many big companies to give their western representatives a trunk full of posters and a tack-hammer to keep them amused between big sales. In an ordinary town the drummer will tack up a bill or two and quit. In Cerrillos he tacks up a couple and sits down for a smoke. After a while he tacks up a few more. Then he prays that the limited will break a wheel and stop long enough to take him aboard. Then he gets enterprising and climbs a barn to tack up posters. He warns to his work, and tacks them to trees and telegraph poles. By the time he gets away he has left his red and yellow trail over all the scenery.

Cerrillos had a more glorious past than you would imagine. You note that there are a good many empty houses, some of them abject structures. They are the fruit of no mere real estate boom. The old arroyo, or play canyon, cutting the town in two used to be a noted source of placer gold. In those days Cerrillos was a

mining camp. Later still some of the greatest coal mines in the west were worked with this hamlet as headquarters, but now the mining town has moved eight miles over the hills.

The miners still tramp to Cerrillos on pay nights. This is a delicate subject to mention. There is a state law against gambling. But sometimes you see a group of men in a back room playing solitaire—four or five at the same table. The miners, too, often leave their money behind. It is doubtless contributed to the Belgian relief fund. Once in a while a miner returns with a roll of bills much bigger than he started with. But this happens so rarely it does not need explaining.

Words of Praise For Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"Last winter I used two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. John Miller, Rosedale, Ind. "It cured me of a severe cold on the lungs and an aggravating cough. I have recommended this remedy to so many people who have used it and have nothing but words of praise for it. Obtainable everywhere."

DON'T FORGET THE BIG BASE-BALL SALE AT DENNEL'S, SATURDAY MORNING.

AT HOME ON THE JOB.

"Scriven has become very devoted to his family all of a sudden." "What makes you think so?" "Well, I haven't seen him at his usual haunts for nearly a month." "That doesn't prove anything. The fact of the matter is, somebody presented him with a meerschaum pipe and he spends his evenings at home coloring it."—Exchange.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Judge of the Court of Appeals (Short Term)

We are authorized to announce BENJAMIN MECK, of Bucyrus, as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Judge of the Court of Appeals, at the primary election, Tuesday, August 8, 1916.

State Senator.

GEORGE W. HOLL, of Auglaize county, announces that he is a candidate for State Senator from the 32nd district of Ohio, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary election to be held August 8th, 1916.

We are authorized to announce that THOMAS M. BERRY is a candidate for the office of State Senator, 32nd Senatorial District, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary election, August 8, 1916.

WILLIAM BEHNE, of Bryan, Williams county, will be a candidate for second term as State Senator in the Thirty-second Senatorial district, at the democratic primary to be held August 8, 1916. 6-8-2w

For Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce that J. K. Williams, of Marion township, is a candidate for the office of county commissioner, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 8, 1916.

We are authorized to announce that J. I. LUGINBUHL, of Richland township, is a candidate for the of-

fice of county commissioner, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 8.

There isn't a merchant in this city that will not do the right thing by the public. The people should help by keeping their money in Lima. If Times want ads bring results.

CONSTIPATED, EASILY TIRED, LIVER NOT ACTING?

A Wineglassful of Concentrated Tollo Water Will Start Your Liver and Relieve Your Constipation in Half an Hour.

When your liver gets clogged the bile is forced back into the stomach instead of flowing into the intestines and helping them to expel the waste. Nature tries to relieve the liver by absorbing the bile, then you feel drowsy and get tired easily; your skin gets yellow, your complexion muddy and your tongue coated. Start your liver going by taking about a third of a tumbler full of Tollo Water in a glass of plain water before breakfast. In thirty minutes it will wash out the bile tubes of the liver and expel the waste from the system—not like colic and strong drugs that irritate and weaken, but by giving the liver a bath just as you bathe your skin. You can get a bottle of this water from any drug store for 15 cents, and should take it regularly for several mornings until your skin clears up and you get back your old-time energy and good health. After that, an occasional glass before breakfast will keep your liver active and your stomach in perfect condition.

Edelman

CLOTHING CO.

 115-117 W. Market St. Lima, Ohio
 FOREMOST MAKERS AND DISTRIBUTORS OF MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHES.

Come Tomorrow!

We want you to see these Peerless Ready-for-Service Clothes; special values. Clever new models, splendid patterns, the acme of Apparel perfection for Men and Young Men, at—

\$10.00 \$12.50
\$15.00 \$18.00

You'll get more real values here at these prices now than you've ever seen before; the Clothes show it.

You'll find a very large choice of the best of the late-summer style developments; new ideas that hit the very center of clothes interest; many of these suits are priced lower than wholesale prices.

Blue Suit Headquarters

A highly important offering of Blue Suits, soft and chain weave serges, self-stripe serges; the choicest of American fabrics; there's \$2.50 to \$10 more value than is usual in Suits at—

\$7.50 to \$20.00

OUTING SUITS . . . \$5 to \$15

If it's class and smartness you're looking for you will find here everything you could expect or demand in Summer Clothing. Mohairs, Flannels, Crash Cloth, Palm Beach Cloths, Serges and Zephyr worsteds. The best values anywhere—\$5 to \$15.

BOYS' CLOTHES

Very Special Values

\$3.50 and \$5

Very smart, fashionable suits, in latest Norfolk models, tweeds, chevrons, serges; perfectly tailored; great values.

TRUSTWORTHY SUITS AT—

\$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50

WASH SUITS—Quality not to be found anywhere else at

50c, 75c, \$1 to \$2.50

STRAW HATS

Exceptional Quality

\$1.50 and \$2

Hats with the mark of character in them; individuality; all around excellence.

FOREMOST STOCKS OF STRAWS IN THE COUNTRY—Priced at—

\$1, \$1.50, \$2 and \$3

PERUVIAN PANAMAS—\$5 and \$7.50 values.

HAWAIIANS—Standard \$5.00 values. Here at \$4.00

NO OTHER FURNISHING STOCK LIKE OURS

We're offering some very extraordinary values in Shirts this season; a wonderful range of new and beautiful patterns and colors; special values at \$1.00. Greatest stock of Underwear shown anywhere; union and two-piece styles, at 25c to \$1.00. Special in Summer Neckwear at 50c. Special in Half Hose at 15c. Fine Silks at 25c.

Specials For Saturday and Monday Only

Boys' Pants 39c
 Neckwear 18c
 Union Suits 79c
 Shirts and Drawers 39c

Palm Beach materials. Plain effects and neat stripes. Washable. Sizes 6 to 13.
 New silk four-in-hands; large open ends; beautiful patterns and color combinations.
 Men's Lastic Crotch Union Suits; athletic style, same as B. V. D. Splendid garments.
 Men's high grade French Balgriggen and Porosknit Shirts and Drawers. 50c grade.

A SPECIAL MESSAGE TO EVERY HOUSEWIFE

Hawaiian Pineapple Day Saturday, June 10th

The most mellow and luxurious fruit ever placed in cans is Hawaiian Pineapple. Picked when ripe and canned the same day.

Why bother with woody, tough and half-ripe pineapple, back-breaking labor, in the heat of the season, together with high prices for sugar.

We Will Show You How to Do Away With All of This

Better Pineapple at a Cheaper Price

A special representative will demonstrate at OUR STORE all day Saturday, June 10th, with plenty of tastings samples.

EVERYBODY INVITED

The Piper Grocery Co.

LIMA, OHIO.

Main 4791.

131-133-135 W. Market St.

HOLLAND ARMY OF 1,300,000 MEN IS PROGRAM PROPOSED

League Would Enlist Every Able Bodied Man and Woman.

Plan to Begin the Physical Training of School Boys and Girls.

THE HAGUE, Netherlands, June 8.—An army of 1,300,000 men as Holland's military strength in any future European struggle is the preparedness program of the "Volk-sweerbareid" or National Defense association, which enjoys a state subsidy and had 140 branches and nearly 14,000 members.

Under this program every able-bodied man and woman would be enlisted for the country's defense; there would be universal service instead of the limited compulsory system which now obtains. The association is convinced that "freedom and independence can be assured only when all who are able, conscious of their duty, prepare themselves in service in the country's defense forces, with a view, in case of necessity, to being able to defend those sacred possessions of the nation."

The concrete scheme of the association takes the form of general compulsory training, with limited repetition training and service, and local and provisional training and organization. Starting out from the principle that the basis of all defense must be the forming of a powerful race, the program would provide physical exercise in the schools, and subsequent preparatory training of the youth of the country. After this time actually spent in the ranks would be comparatively short, the association argues, citing what has been seen in that respect in the present war.

Only a few of the large levies thus obtained would suffice to form the field army. Thence the men would pass out into the "local troops"—territorial defense forces. Those latter would be so organized that, together with the strong localized frontier and coast guards, they could be ready to take the field in a few hours.

While the "local troops" would, in the first place, serve for defense, the field army would be destined for offensive operations. The two together would form a force of about 800,000 men, fully trained, while there would still be a reserve in the depots of more than 500,000 men, making up the total of 1,300,000 mentioned.

Summarized, this new national army would be constituted as follows:

Frontier and coastal troops, 134,500 men; field army, 107,000; position troops, 15,000; marine 5,000; local troops, 534,500; total, 796,500 men.

Reserve. Local reserve, first ban, 400,000 men; second ban, 170,000 men; total, 570,000 men.

With such an army, which is represented as quite feasible, the old axiomatic principle of retiring be-

hind the famous Dutch "water line" might be abandoned and positions take up immediately behind the frontiers, the association points out.

The basic idea of the program is said to enjoy wide sympathy and support, and the plan is expected to come up for serious consideration in one form or another when the present crisis is past.

In a talk with the correspondent of The Associated Press, the secretary of the Association laid special stress on the fact that the women must also be organized and trained to co-operate, presumably largely in Red Cross work.

Apart from its propaganda activities, the National Defense Association has been instrumental in raising nearly 10,000 volunteer Land-sturm troops to reinforce the mobilized army.

Since its birth in 1899 the organization has provided extensive facilities for rifle practice and the acquirement of other military arts, furthered gymnastic and athletic clubs, trained women for Red Cross work, and founded summer training camps.

POINTERS OBTAINED FOR NEW Y. M. C. A.

Members of the building committee of the Y. M. C. A. returned last night from a trip of inspection of different buildings of the organization in Ohio. They visited the following cities: Canton, East Liverpool, Youngstown, Cleveland and Elyria. The following are members of the committee: Robert Plate, chairman; Henry G. Wenner, E. J. Maize, Henry Enck and Frank Eberhart. Although several of the buildings are looked upon favorably by the committee nothing definite in regard to the proposed plan of the building will be known until they have visited some of the structures in Indiana and Illinois.

How to Prevent Croup.

Every effort should be made to prevent the attack by giving the child a light supper and plenty of fresh air at all times. The child should be warmly clad when out of doors. Especially the feet should be well protected and under no circumstances should the child be allowed to remain with wet or cold feet. Then watch for the first symptoms, hoarseness, and give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at once and the attack may be ward off. This remedy is a favorite with the mothers of croupy children and can always be depended upon. It is pleasant and safe to take. Obtainable everywhere. mo-wad-tri

MRS. IRA P. CARNES WIDELY MOURNED

Many friends called at the home of Mrs. Ira P. Carnes of 315 West Market street yesterday, upon the announcement of her death, which came as a great surprise and created genuine regret. Only a week ago Mrs. Carnes was able to converse with her relatives and friends. The burial tributes have been many and beautiful and with them have come messages of sympathy and condolence.

The Rev. Thomas Knox, pastor of Market street Presbyterian church will conduct funeral services, which will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the late home on West Market street.

The body will be laid to rest beside the grave of her husband at Woodlawn.

DON'T FORGET THE BIG BASEMENT SALE AT DEISEL'S, SATURDAY MORNING.

DOES SLOAN'S LINIMENT HELP RHEUMATISM?

Ask the man who uses it, he knows. "To think I suffered all these years when one 50 cent bottle of Sloan's Liniment cured me," writes one grateful user. If you have Rheumatism or suffer from Neuralgia, Backache, Soreness and Stiffness, don't put off getting a bottle of Sloan's. It will give you such welcome relief. It warms and soothes the sore, stiff painful places and you feel so much better. Buy it at any Drug Store, only 25 cents.

MASONIC NOTICE.

Special convocation of Lima Chapter No. 49, R. A. M., this evening. Work on mark master degree. Officers and members requested to be present. Visiting companions welcome. E. A. Dean, High Priest. Wallace Landis, secretary.

HEADACHE STOPS, NEURALGIA GONE


Dr. James' Headache Powders Give Instant Relief—Cost Dime a Package.

Nerve-racking, splitting or dull, throbbing headaches yield in just a few moments to Dr. James' Headache Powders which cost only 10 cents a package at any drug store. It's the quickest, surest headache relief in the whole world. Don't suffer! Relieve the agony and distress now! You can. Millions of men and women have found that headache and neuralgia misery is needless. Get what you ask for.


F. J. MEYERS,

PHONE MAIN 5108. 108 EAST SPRING. WE DELIVER.

Cane sugar, 10 lbs.	83c	Potatoes, old, bu.	xx xx
Flour, large sk.	\$1.50	New Potatoes, lb.	5c
Flour, small sk.	75c	Fancy Bacon	18c
Flour, Gold Medal	90c	Cala Hams, lb.	14c
Flour, Pillsbury	92c	Pure Lard, lb.	16c
Meal, sk.	10c	Lard Compound,	14c
Gas Globes, each	7 1/2 c	Salmon, tall can	10c
Gas Mantles, each	7 1/2 c	Sardines, 6 cans	25c
Spaghetti, pkg.	7 1/2 c	Toilet paper, 10 rolls.	25c
Macaroni, pkg.	7 1/2 c	Prunes, 3 lbs.	25c
Lima Beans, 3 lbs.	25c	Fancy Rice, 3 lbs.	25c
Corn, 3 cans	25c	Peas, 3 cans	25c
Milk, 5c size, 6 cans.	25c	Milk, 10c size, 3 cans.	25c
Naptha soap, 6 bars.	25c	Soup Beans, 3 lbs.	25c
Pickled Pork, lb.	12c	Coffee, Steel Cut	17c



G. E. BLUEM
221-223 N. Main



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121-123 W. North

Special Values for Saturday—at Bluem's

Dainty Undermuslins for Summer Very Attractive in Quality and Price---Annex

Many thrifty buyers are taking advantage of the extra good values we are offering in Women's and Children's Undermuslins for Saturday. Not only are the values good, but the assortments are unusually fine this year. Daintier, prettier things than ever before, and all so reasonably priced. We quote a few prices:



Women's Gowns of flesh color batiste, nainsook, plain white, blue and pink crepe and figured materials, some with lace yoke and sleeves, embroidery edges, lace edges, h. s. effects, finishing braid trimmed and ribbon trimmed, extra full and good length, very special at \$1.00 each.

Women's Gowns of fine longcloth and nainsook, hand embroidered yoke and sleeves, lace edge, ribbon trimmed; others with medallion and tucked yoke, lace trimmed; very special at \$1.50.

One table of regular \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$5.00 Princess Slips, sheer fine materials, neatly trimmed, go at half-price, slightly soiled from handling.

Women's Drawers in open and closed styles, fine materials, neatly trimmed, at 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Corset Covers of fine longcloth, with lace yokes and edges, well made and well fitting garments, at 50c each.

Women's Petticoats of fine nainsook, with lace flounces and lace and medallion trimmed flounces, extra full and deep, with lace trimmed dust ruffle, at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

Undermuslins in Stout Sizes come in petticoats, gowns, combination suits, corset covers and drawers, made of best materials, all durably made, with extra stays on the parts exposed to the hardest wear, at very little advance in price over the regular sizes.

A complete line of **Children's Undermuslins** in all sizes and styles, at the same low prices.

Pretty White Wash Waists at 95c Each

Saturday we place on sale one big lot of White Wash Waists for women, beautiful new styles for Summer in both long and short sleeve models. They come in sheer organdies, dainty stripe batistes, plain white voiles, embroidered voiles and organdies, and other sheer fabrics. Many of them with dainty lace edges and embroidered collars. All sizes from 34 to 44. Very good values at only 95c each. Then there are pretty Wash Silk Waists in all white, white with a touch of color, and fancy colored stripe designs, all sizes, at \$1.00 each.

Women's Wash Skirts

Women's White Wash Skirts of pique, white cotton serge, herringbone stripes, wash golfines and sports stripes in all the new styles, pocket, pearl button and fancy belt trimmed, at \$3.45, \$3.75, \$4.75, \$4.95, \$5.75, \$6.50, \$6.75 and \$8.50.

(Ready-to-Wear Section.)

In the Annex you will find a big lot of White Wash Skirts of pique, palm beach cloth, waffle cloth, gabardines, etc., all new styles, all sizes up to 36 in. waist bands, at 95c to \$3.00 each.

(First Floor—Annex.)

Room Rugs, \$13.95

Were \$17.50 to \$20.00

Saturday morning we offer 18 Tapestry Brussels Rugs, size 9x12 ft., seamless rugs in good patterns and good colorings, really worth \$17.50 to \$20.00 each, rugs we would have to sell for much more were we to buy them today, your choice of the lot for Saturday only at \$13.95. Any one needing a new rug or two will do well to have a look at these before the best patterns are gone.

(Annex, Second Floor.)

Curtain Materials, 15c yd.

Tomorrow we offer one big lot of Marquisette Curtain Material in white, ivory and ceru shades, a very good quality, much used for dining rooms and bedrooms, 36 in. wide, at 15c yd. An exceptional value at this price. We have edges to match if you wish them.

(Annex, Second Floor.)

Table Linens

Saturday we offer Bleached Table Linen, all pure linen, of the well known Bluem quality, good assortment of patterns, at 85c yd.

Cream Table Linen, all pure linen, neat patterns, 62c yard.

Bath Towels, 19c

Special for Saturday, one lot of Bath Towels, size 20x40 in., good quality, extra heavy, with pink, blue and lavender borders, at 19c each.

15c Brown Crash, all pure linen, Saturday at 12 1/2 c yard.

Summer Hosiery

Women's Silk Hose in all the new shades—silver, ivory, champagne, browns, greens and all staple colors, \$1.00 and \$1.50 pair.

Women's Fancy Silk Hose in stripes, plaids, colored boots with flesh tops at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 pair.

Men's Silk Hose in black, white and colors, \$1.00 and \$1.50 pair; plain and clocked.

Men's Silk Hose, plain or clocked, lisle top, toe and heel, 50c pair.

Knit Underwear

Women's Flesh Color Union Suits, silk top, envelope or regular cut, \$1.75.

Women's Silk Top Union Suits, flesh or white, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Women's Knit Envelope Suits, 50c and \$1.00.

Women's Union Suits, round or cumfy cut neck; cuff, shell or lace knee; straight or 3-piece style; regular and extra sizes, 50c and 59c.

Children's Union Suits, all styles, 25c and 50c.

Men's Union Suits, all styles, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and up.

Wool Remnants, \$1.00 Each

Saturday Only

Saturday we place on sale one big lot of Wool Remnants in waist, skirt and children's dress lengths, odds and ends left from our Spring selling, all new weaves and shades, fine quality materials, at \$1.00 for the piece. Also,

One lot of 75c Novelty Wool Checks and stripes for separate skirts and dresses, 20 different styles, the same patterns as the high priced novelties, at 58c yard.

(Main Floor, Dress Goods Section.)

Waste Baskets, 25c

6 dozen Waste Baskets, regulation size, in natural and fancy colors, good solid basket, 25c each. You will be sure to want a couple of them. Nice for porches, libraries, bedrooms, etc.

(Annex, Second Floor.)

The Kre-Mo Girl

Says:

Kre-Mo Sterilized Rice is a natural food. Rice from the principal food of one-half the population of the earth, is the most nutritious of all cereals, and has about five times the food value of potatoes. In Kre-Mo Rice you have the rice at its best. Its taste is so different from that of ordinary rice that there is a comparison. Try it in this style:

Kre-Mo Rice Balls

Boil hard eggs; remove the shells and add an equal amount of boiled Kre-Mo Sterilized Rice; season with salt, pepper and butter; make into balls and dip into raw eggs; then put in crumbs and fry in deep hot fat. Drain and place on small pieces of buttered toast. Pour over whole melted butter.



Kre-Mo Sterilized Rice

Is excellent served as a breakfast food, and a package makes more than seven pounds of prepared food.

15c—AT YOUR GROCER'S—15c

Try Some Today



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Woman's Section

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SOCIETY EDITOR—PHONE MAIN 2845

FRIDAY, JUNE 9, 1916.

WEATHER—Probably showers tonight and Saturday, not much change in temperature.

THE ETERNAL FEMININE

IF THERE would be one thing that women could meet on a common ground, it would be the discussion of clothes. To most women the matter of clothes constitutes the greater part of her interest, to a few women it constitutes an equal amount of her interest, to fewer women it constitutes the lesser part of her interest, but there are no women—except, perhaps, the venerable Dr. Mary Walker—who have no interest in feminine foibles. And why shouldn't they be interested? They should. Clothes—like everything else about a person, even the way they sharpen their pencils, or the sort of entertainment they seek—reveal the personality of their wearer.

There is nothing that will destroy the poise and enjoyment of a woman like the feeling that she is not appropriately dressed. It turns her out to ashes and her thoughts to "stroll, and she is decidedly all the c. nico say she is when she is suffering from clothes. Of course, the woman with the fat purse doesn't suffer as keenly as the woman who has to economize a bit, and she is the woman who so often makes the mistake of trying to follow up her wealthy sister with a little cheaper gown built on the same lines. The result is, as you all know, far from satisfactory. The secret for the well-dressed woman of moderate means, is moderation and common sense. Good, inconspicuous things may not win for her the attention her wealthier sister gains with her stunning clothes, but neither does it win for her the amused glances that are given to the sister who poked out the "latest" mode a grade cheaper.

And anyway, we of the "good, wear well, won't fade, guaranteed not to shrink" type, can console ourselves that it's too common a case of the clothes wearing the woman, instead of the woman wearing the clothes, and if we stick to our own little inconspicuous wardrobe, we would have to be pretty uninteresting to have such a thing thing to us. Oh, well, summer sales are starting, and all women love bargains.

Our Rural Reporter says that most of the republicans must be bachelors since the suffrage plank was favored.

Cheer Up, DEARS, Yellow is warm looking in summer, anyway.

A LOVE STORY WITHOUT A MAN

The Editor (dictating to his stenographer)—"Naomi Johnson, Dear Sir. We thank you very much for giving us the chance," etc.

Two hours later (the same editor, signing his mail—"Oh, I say, Miss Smith," he says, "just make that 'Dear Sir,' please.")

The girl takes the letter—"But—" she begins rather timidly.

"Mr. Naomi Johnson, Dear Sir," the editor puts in, hastily. "Haven't you read the Bible?"

"Yes, of course," Miss Smith begins again, "but—"

"Ruth and Naomi—a love story, you know. Ruth the girl, Naomi the man. You can't have a love story without a man, can you?"

Stomach Troubles.

Mrs. A. Trousant, Whitesboro, N. Y., says, "Chamberlain's Tablets are excellent for stomach troubles and biliousness." Mrs. Trousant speaks highly. Obtainable everywhere.

Ask your grocer for
PRIDE OF LIMA FLOUR

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make PRIDE OF LIMA flour, for twenty years the local standard winter wheat flour, good for bread, pies, cakes and pastry.

MODEL MILLS
Manufacturers of
PRIDE OF LIMA CHARM
CHOICE FAMILY and
MODEL BEST
Flours.

Social Notes

MARIEN NAGEL

And he now learned the profound lesson that an individual must be taken of left in the center, and that you cannot change an object merely because you love it.—Arnold Bennett. Clayhanger.

MEMBERS of the W. C. T. U. will observe "Flower Mission Day" at the infirmary, June 11. The following program will be rendered, commencing at 2 o'clock:

Song—Selected.

Lecture Lesson—Mrs. Spayde Lima.

Prayer—Mrs. Armilla Cook.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. S. J. Krefft, Delphos.

Why We Observe Flower Mission Day—Mrs. Augusta Steiner.

Vocal Duet, "None Like Him"—Mrs. Herr and Mrs. Ruck.

Short Talk—Mrs. McDorman, Harrod.

Vocal Solo, "The Bow of Ribbon White"—Iona Price.

Short Talk—West Cairo Union.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Herr, Lima.

Short Talk—Mrs. Lois Maxwell.

Girls' Quartet, Lafayette.

Reading—Devon Walker.

Short Talk—Bever Dam Union.

Vocal Duet—Rev. and Mrs. Bennett.

Short Talk—Gomer Union.

Ladies' Quartet, Lima.

Tenore Minute Talk—Elida Union.

Vocal Solo—Wilma Leach.

Enact Talk—Spencer Union.

Ladies' Quartet.

Practical Lesson—Rev. Maxwell.

Distribution of Treat to inmates.

Mrs. Bertha Dickason, who is superintendent of the Flower Mission, will be in charge, and everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Siferd and sons, James and Edward, returned to their home in Albany, Ind., Wednesday evening, after spending a few days in Lima with Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Siferd of South Main street.

Miss Marie Simons, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Ricker, in Delphos, was a guest at the meeting of the "1910 Club," held with Mrs. Ricker, Wednesday afternoon. Five hundred was played. Miss Simons has returned home.

Miss Rose Agertter won the pin offered by the Western Women's Golf association yesterday, but was contested by Mrs. F. T. Cuthbert. Plans were completed for the day a week from yesterday, when the Lima women will entertain the women golfers of Toledo. Those women who were on the links yesterday, were Mrs. Cuthbert, Mrs. J. M. Boose, Mrs. George Mehafer, Miss Rose Agertter, Mrs. E. T. Mitchell, Mrs. H. S. Moulton, Mrs. T. D. McLaughlin, Miss Jessie Boone, Miss Gertrude Finley and Mrs. Moulton's guests, Mrs. Kate Kirk and Mrs. George Waldorf, Toledo.

Carl Neville, who is a student at the Cincinnati University, is spending the summer vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Neville, of South Metcalf street.

Miss Edith Mathehner, who is the teacher of the fourth grade of the Franklin school, entertained her mother yesterday, Mrs. Kate Mathehner, of Wapakoneta.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell Jones of Delphos, are planning to make their return home in Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Hamilton of Delphos, who attended the wedding of Miss Gladys Wierman and Harold Eillon, are visiting with friends.

Mrs. Frank Sealts entertained the members of the Koneka Circle at the last meeting of the year at her home. Mrs. C. C. Crossley and Mrs. M. Meyers were appointed to attend to the details of the annual picnic being planned for next Thursday at the cottage of Mrs. Crossley at Russell Point. At the conclusion of the afternoon, Mr. Blackburn, mother of the hostess, assisted in serving a delicious lunch. Peonies and roses were used in decorating the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Treat and daughter, Lenore, left for Columbus to spend the day.

Mrs. Chalmers Brown and Mrs. Lawrence Wright entertained a number of their friends at the Shawnee Country club with bridge this afternoon.

One of the prettiest dances of the high school was given last night at memorial hall by the members of the class of 1917 to the class of 1916. Class colors of the two classes were intermingled making a blaring and effective effect. Flowers were used also in the decorative scheme. The grand march was led by Thurston Shreeves, President of the Junior class, and Miss Mary Parmenter.

A program was arranged prior to the dancing, and included a violin solo by Miss Margaret Neuman and addresses by Thurston Shreeves, president of the class of 1917, and Ralph Sweeney, president of the class of 1916. Committees for the evening consisted of the following:

Program committee included Misses Josephine Sherwood, Serella Wood, Charlotte Colson, Messrs Edwin Jennings and Howard MacDonald.

The invitation committee, which looked after the extending of invitations to the members of the Senior class, the Junior class and the high school faculty, included Walter Hillery, Harold Hawisher, Carol Cheney, Miss Eleanor Price and Margaret Neuman.

The refreshment committee in-

cluded Miss Amber Blackstone, Virginia VerBryke, Arthur Wohlgenuth, Ronald Whitley and Magdalene Stolzenbach. The officers of the class constituted a general committee which had charge of the preparations for the entire evening.

Mrs. Ralph Austin will entertain a number of friends at her home this afternoon with bridge.

Miss Edith Jones whose marriage to Tillman Bowersock will be an event of the month was complimented last evening with a dinner by the teachers of the McKinley school building at the home of Miss Helen Winemiller. Miss Jones has been a teacher at this building for the past few years.

Dinner was served at 6:30 o'clock, at a large table which was decorated with roses, tall red candles in crystal holders, and the place cards were handpainted roses. The effect was lovely, and appropriate. At the close of the dinner a set of silver teaspoons were presented to the bride elect by those present who were the Misses Hannah Gordon, Myrtle Busick, Mary Bligham, Margaret Cookman, Margaret Bush, Minnie Blohm, Helen Winemiller and Mrs. LeRoy Earle.

Postponement of the picnic to be given by the Winona club has been made until next Thursday on account of the cold weather.

Next Wednesday, the members of the Grana club will meet with Mrs. V. H. Effinger. It was postponed from yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lott entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bible, of Wapakoneta at their home yesterday.

Members of the Pastime club were entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. G. Keller, of West North street. All members were present and enjoyed an interesting program given by Mrs. Phinney, Mrs. Kendrick and Mrs. Thompson. Mrs. Downing assisted the hostess in serving a delectable lunch at the conclusion of the afternoon, after which the club adjourned to meet again in two weeks.

On the question of the education, says the Christian Science Monitor, which is steadily coming to the front with renewed vigor in several countries, very decided views were held by Sir John Gorst. He strongly deprecated children being sent to school too early. "I should like to see children in the country," he said on one occasion, "running about all day in the open air, and not going to school until 7 years of age at the earliest. That is the practice in Switzerland, which is certainly the best-educated country in the world. According to the English education acts, children are invited to come to school at three and are compelled at five, that is too young." It all depends on the school, however. The modern kindergarten has few "horrors" even for "three."

Very often the family dinner menu includes soup, meat courses and salad, and omits the dessert. A taste of sweet is needed to top off with, however, and this can be supplied by a square of mint paste, a chocolate peppermint, or some other confection on the dolly beneath the finger bowl.

Pelicans seem to be a distinguishing feature in fashion, tied at the waist, the ends finished with a bow and distended on either side, says the Queen, London. The cape effect has crept into evening gowns, cut after Velasquez and other Spanish voluminous shapes, with many fluffy fillings of chiffon beneath. Magnificent evening wraps are made in rich tones of tulle shot with gold, having a huge upstanding collar, and we are copying the capes of Joffre blue which the messengers wear.

Members of the J. M. S. C. club were entertained at the home of Mrs. Ed Maag for an all day meeting. A delicious dinner was served at noon, and the afternoon was spent in sewing. Mrs. Don Miller was the only guest of the meeting. Mrs. Seymour Peck, Mrs. Harry Hildreth, Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Elmer Roberts assisted the hostess in serving. The club will meet in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Seymour Peck.

BLAZER COATS FOR BOYS.
The small boys are blossoming into gay colors this season. Blazer coats in narrow stripes come in the soft J-race cloth to fit on over the Russian blouse or little shirtwaist. They are lighter than sweaters, and have a saucy effect that is quite debonair for the youngster. They come in red and white, orange and black, blue and white, and other combinations.

At the final meeting yesterday of the Irish club at the home of Mrs. J. O. Roush plans for a banquet to be held a week from Saturday were discussed. Mrs. Roush, Mrs. Roy Gott and Mrs. Clyde Meyers were appointed as a committee on arrangements. The hostess was assisted throughout the afternoon by Mrs. P. V. Fisher.

Miss Lenore Boose, who has been the guest of friends at Western College at Oxford, and of Miss Jeanette Neiderlander of Middletown, for the past three weeks, returned to her home Wednesday.

DON'T FORGET THE BIG BASEMENT SALE AT DRISSEL'S, SATURDAY MORNING.

MARRYING A BUTTERFLY

By MRS. EVA LEONARD Y

Ethel Thinks Always of Her Rights; but What About Her Duties?

"YOU don't mean that you are paying \$30 a month to that new maid," exclaimed Ralph Gordon in a great state of excitement.

"There is nothing so strange about that Mother assures me that maids are almost impossible to get, and this one is a prize, for she can cook. I insisted on that. I told mother that life would be unendurable in the same house with you if you were not properly fed." Ethel Gordon settled her plumes as if she was sure she had

allied the enemy's guns. "But, Ethel, we cannot afford it. We barely made ends meet before. I am earning a good salary but it all goes up in smoke some way. There is not a cent of it to show at the end of the month." Ralph paced excitedly up and down the living room.

"I do not know what you are talking to me about it for. I have not boasted prices, though one would suppose you thought I was in a conspiracy against you, to hear you talk." Ethel's tone was certainly petulant. "I get so tired of everlastingly hearing about expenses that I feel like stopping my ears."

"You might as well stop them for all the good it does you to listen. You go calmly on with your light-hearted scattering of money and are sweetly astonished when everything is gone. I certainly am about desperate. We shall never know what it is to be a dollar ahead." Ralph moodily looked out of the window with his hands in his pockets.

"Do you want I should send her away?" asked his wife. "I do not object to eating at the hotel, but I

thought you would be glad of anything that took us away from there." Ethel looked reproachfully at him and thought how useless it was to try to please men. They were such unreasonable beings. "Heaven forbid!" ejaculated Ralph fervently.

"Well, have you anything else to suggest? After all I did to get this maid just because I knew you would not be satisfied to eat anywhere but at home," complained Ethel.

"All you did," retorted Ralph. "You do everything by calling on someone else to do it for you."

"You're perfectly horrid, Ralph Gordon! You bring me 'way out here where there is nothing to amuse me, nothing to enjoy, and then you do everything to make me unhappy. Just find fault with me for everything I do and blame all our servant problems onto me, and—"

"Well who is to blame for Minnie's leaving if you are not, I should like to know?" His tone was hard and unfeeling.

"If you would learn to do something useful; learn to make the home comfortable as other women do, you would not need amusing. You would have something to occupy your mind and you would be far happier than you are idling away your time doing the Lord knows what. I never see a thing that you do." The pen-up irritation of weeks was finding voice.

"Oh, that it should come to this!" wailed the unhappy girl. "You care nothing for me. It is just your own selfish comfort that you are thinking about all the time," she sobbed.

"And you? Whose comfort are you thinking about, I should like to know?" Ralph strode into the hall, took his hat from the rack and ran down the walk. Ethel took the handkerchief from her eyes long enough to see him turn up the road to the fields. Then she settled herself for a full review of her husband's sins of omission and commission, while she wiped the tears of wounded self-love from her eyes.

(To be continued.)

The Rural Churches

M. E. Churches.

W. W. Constain, pastor, 1122 St. Johns avenue.

Cridersville Sunday school at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10. Epworth league at 6:30.

Fletcher and Warsaw: Sunday school at 9. Both churches will observe Children's day services at 7:30 in the evening. A splendid program is prepared. A collection will be taken for the Educational society.

Shawnee and Cridersville will hold their Children's day exercises a week later, June 18.

BAD TO HAVE A COLD HANG ON

Don't let your cold hang on, rack your system and become chronic when Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will help you. It heals the inflammation, soothes the cough and loosens the phlegm. You can eat the candy at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is a laxative. "Ar Syrup, the pine tar balsam bails the raw spots, loosens the mucus and prevents irritation of the bronchial tubes. Just get a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey today. It's guaranteed to help you. At drugists.

CHARGES ADULTERY.

Charging adultery with one Arthur Baxter Johnson and alleging that Johnson even went so far as to have his life insurance made to Dorothea Gratz, her husband, Clarence Gratz, filed suit for divorce in court. It was the result of a wedding in Covington, Ky., on May 22, 1913, when the couple slipped away and were wed.

They have no children. He says the wife lived under an assumed name with Johnson.

U. S. EXPORTS INCREASE.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Exports of the United States in April were

WOMEN'S STOMACH TROUBLES

The Great Woman's Medicine Often Just What Is Needed.

We are so used to thinking of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a remedy exclusively for female ills that we are apt to overlook the fact that it is one of the best remedies for disorders of the stomach.

For stomach trouble of women it is especially adapted, as it works in complete harmony with the female organism, since it contains the extracts of the best tonic roots and herbs. It tones up the digestive system, and increases the appetite and strength. Here is what one woman writes showing what this medicine does:—

Newfield, N. Y.—"I am so pleased to say I can recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as an economical and beneficial remedy in most ailments pertaining to women. At least I found it so by only taking two bottles. I had indigestion in a bad form and I am now feeling in the best of health and owe it all to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. BURE WILLIAMS, R. D. No. 25, Newfield, N. Y.

Many women suffer from that "all gone feeling," and "feel so faint," while doing their work. Ten chances to one their digestive system is all out of order. A tablespoonful of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after each meal should completely remedy this condition in a few days.



IS IT FUN TO BE A BOY?

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DURING THE taking of "Poor Little Peppina" I was disguised as an Italian boy, wearing a short blond wig to hide my curls.

Out for locations we wandered far into the Bowery in search of those interesting side streets which are crowded with the little street vendors' stands, hundreds of children and fascinating foreign types.

As I have often told you, it amounts almost to a science to get the camera up without its being discovered, for when the word "Movies!" rings down the street, it might just as well be "Fire!" such a startling onrush ensues.

This Saturday afternoon, so busy were the housewives buying from the pushcarts and so much busier were the children playing their wild games in the middle of the street, that for quite a few minutes they were unaware of pictures being taken right under their very noses.

I strutted around in my corduroy trousers and the camera ground out several hundred feet until the cry

went up, "Movies and Mary Pickford!" Before you could wink an eye, I seemed as if the whole beehive of the East Side had swarmed around me, elbowing, possessing, souveniring me, pulling, shouting and committing a thousand other indignities which were most uncomfortable, I can assure you.

"Let me get out of here," I shrieked in dismay, and like the Pip Piper of Hamelin, I fled, followed by a scrambling mob of excited children. Never did I run so fast nor had I even dreamed that I could run so fast. Around the corner, around the alleyway, and plumb right into a store!

It was one of those little Italian spaghetti shops, where they sell ravioli and tagiarina paste, where great strings of Peppers and sausages hang from the ceiling, and on the dusty shelves are the arrays of canned goods—tuna, olive oil, corn-salva and dried mushrooms. A great bottle-browed Italian eyed



Sand in Your Eyes?

Ever have that itching, burning sensation in the eyes?

In practically all cases, that is an indication of a need for glasses. Symptoms of this kind should not be neglected. Comparatively simple lenses now may save you a heap of trouble later on.

If you find that your eyesight is not quite all that it ought to be, you should obtain glasses without delay.

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Special June Prices Throughout the Store

The extra good values to be found at this store are due to the fact that we buy direct from the manufacturers in large lots and sell in our own building. The savings effected this way are passed along to the customer. If you want to save money on Furniture, Carpets, Rugs and Stoves get our prices before you buy. Special June Bargain Prices for those starting housekeeping.

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The Carpet Sweeper can be instantly detached making it a perfect individual Carpet Sweeper, size 9 by 11 inches, this is light and easily handled, cover easily moved making simple method to remove all the dirt. It is full Bicycle Ball and Fibre Bearings—runs noiselessly. Convenient and necessary. The great THREE IN ONE MACHINE, A VACUUM CLEANER, A CARPET SWEEPER AND COMBINATION CLEANER. Made to sell at \$10.00. Special on terms of \$1 CASH; 50c weekly, price

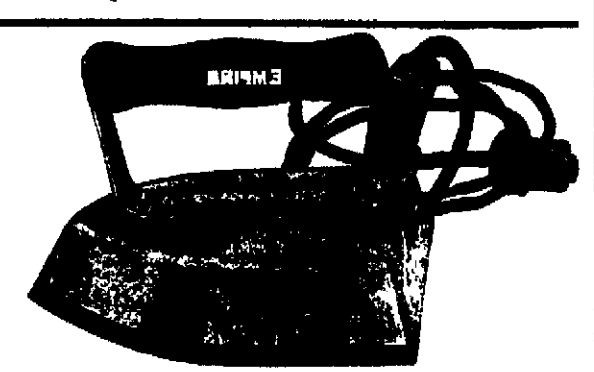
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we with surprise as I burst unceremoniously through the door.

"What you want here?" he asked me, as he waddled behind the counter and looked me over with a very suspicious eye.

"I want to hide here," I replied ducking around the corner.

"You tried?" he asked me, warily. "No—I'm moving pictures," I remarked, as he waddled behind the counter to see if the curious ones were staring outside.

"Mova da Pitch—bah!" and he snatched his fingers. Breaks da head my Tony if he mova da pitch—you clear outa deez store, you bada keed, you actor keed!"

"You keep still," I threatened him, stamping my foot. "I'm here and I'm going to stay here."

"Fresha da keed," he shouted back at me. "My Tony, heez breaka your face."

"Hush, father," a soft-voiced girl who had just entered warned him, and then there followed a musical reprimand in Italian which ended in the name of "Mary Pickford."

I watched him with a new hope in my eyes, but do you think that calmed him? Not a chance of it!

"Peekford—bah! Heez a bada keed—I doant want no actor in deez store."

"What's the row, eh?" and the door was kicked open by a big, burly policeman.

"Heem", and the Italian pounced upon me, dragging me from behind the counter.

"Stealing, eh?"

"I tried to explain that we were making moving pictures, and that when the onrush of the public had struck us the camera man, the director and I had fled in different directions to escape it. Twice we had had our camera almost demolished in the curious melee."

"How do I know you are a moving picture actor?" and the policeman looked at me with gimlet eyes. "Nobody pulls that kind of stuff on me—d'you get me? Come along, kid, or I'll make it pretty hot for you."

And so I was dragged off by the policeman, amid the mad cheering of the youngsters—and I probably would have enjoyed the sensation of riding in a patrol wagon to the station if the rest of the company had not arrived at this "the psychological moment," as the scenario writer calls it!

Answers to Correspondents

Mamie G.—Pauline Frederick is with Famous Players. Marguerite Clark is with the same company. My sister Lottie is not appearing in pictures at present. My brother Jack is with the Selig company.

Goldie J.—Edna Goodrich played the lead in "Armstrong's Wife." You are wrong—it was a Lasky production.

R. A.—George Marie is Philip Wakem, in "Mill on the Floss." Viola Dana is with Metro. Sidney Drew and Sidney Rankin Drew are two different people, father and son.

P. O. E.—Don Jose in the Fox production of "Carmen" was played by Einar Linden. Wallace Reid played the same role in the other production of "Carmen."

L. B.—Lionel Barrymore played the leading role in "Seas of the Night." Henry Walthall played the Little Colonel in "Birth of a Nation."

K. E. F.—Lucy Blake played the role of Inez Castro in "Neal of the Navy." The role of Thomas Hillington was played by William Coklin.

GRACE CHURCH WILL DEDICATE PIPE ORGAN

The fine new pipe organ at Grace Methodist church will be dedicated on Sunday, June 18. Don Herbert Copeland of Wapakoneta, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Copeland, former Lima residents and prominent in Methodism, will preside at the organ. He will give an organ recital in the evening.

Mr. Copeland will also play special selections at the morning service. He previously appeared here in an organ recital and pleased wonderfully.

Indigestion and Constipation. "When living in Syracuse, N. Y., about two years ago I took two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and they cured me of indigestion and constipation after I had suffered for months with these disorders," writes Mrs. Charles Gloyd, Baldwinville, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere. mo-wed-1st

DON'T FORGET THE BIG BASEMENT SALE AT DEISEL'S, SATURDAY MORNING.

DANCING MASTERS MEET.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Dancing masters attending their annual convention here, have decided to encourage their pupils in the practice of more walking steps in learning modern dances. The purpose is to give the dancers a better opportunity for conversation.

This is a good time to fill your coal bins for next winter, as we are closing out

Central Coal & Supply Co. Times-Democrat want ads are always answered immediately.

AFTER 15 YEARS SUFFERING LIMA WOMAN'S TRIALS ARE ENDED BY NEW MEDICINE

"I have suffered with my heart and nervous trouble for 15 years. I would get so dizzy that I would be blind spells. My stomach annoyed me a great deal. I have spent hundreds of dollars for medicine and the one bottle of Tanlac, the new tonic, that is recommended by Mr. Hunter the druggist, has pleased me so much that I heartily recommend it," said Mrs. Alice Limbach, of 136 East Kibby street, Lima, yesterday.

"My symptoms were gas and bloating which would affect my heart. My liver would not work and I could not sleep soundly at night on account of restlessness. I would feel, oh, so tired in the morning."

"My husband persuaded me to try Tanlac and since I took his advice my heart does not bother me. I have

been a different spell since taking it. I feel bright and cheerful when I get up in the morning."

"I never dreamed Tanlac would work such wonders. It is certainly worth recommending."

Mrs. Limbach's husband is a mechanic at the Garford Motor Co., Lima, and they lived in this city for ten years. She is a woman who considers it her duty to endorse Tanlac, a duty she dare not shirk. In gratitude for the relief she has received she takes the stand, that she owes it to the world to let others know.

The Tanlac man is now at the Chas. M. Hunter Drug store, Lima, explaining the new medicine to scores daily.

MECK WANTS ON APPELLATE COURT

Crawford County Man Ranked Second in Race for Office in 1910.

The race for the democratic nomination for judge of the court of appeals to fill the unexpired term of the late Judge Donnelly has been enlivened by the formal declaration of the candidacy of Benjamin Meck of Crawford county, veteran democrat, who has been active in party councils for years.

Mr. Meck was a candidate for the nomination of judge of the circuit court of the Third Appellate Judicial district of Ohio, in 1910, and ranked second in the list of four candidates who contested for that office.

Mr. Meck was backed by the solid delegation from Crawford county, his home folk, and it is stated that he will have a fine vote from them in the primary.

Mr. Meck has won a reputation at the bar for keenness and knowledge of the law and his friends assert that he has the qualifications to give satisfactory service in the post to which he aspires—Deference Crescent-News (Advertisement)

KELLER CLEARED, OUT FOR STATE SENATOR

TOLEDO, O., June 9.—Former Mayor Carl H. Keller last night fled with the board of elections his declaration of candidacy for the republican nomination for state senator from Lucas county. Keller's declaration was filed immediately after a jury in common pleas court had acquitted him of a bribery charge in connection with the award of a contract for motor fire apparatus for the city while he was mayor. Keller several years ago served two terms in the state senate.

NOTICE. DR. TUSSING'S OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED AFTER JUNE 10 TO ABOUT AUGUST 1.

CHICAGO CONVENTION NEWS

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THE FAUROT'S PICTURES

There is thrill after thrill in "The Half Million Bribe," the new Metro wonderplay in which Hamilton Revelle and Marguerite Snow, aided by a cast of superlative strength, are appearing at the Faurot. From the very first scene the play grips with dramatic intensity, to which the elements of mystery and romance are added. A clever domestic comedy, "One on Henry" is also on the bill and delightfully acted by Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew. Last times tonight.

SATURDAY IS TASTING DAY OF CALIFORNIA CANNED FRUITS AT PIPER'S GROCERY. 6-8-21

AUTO THIEF PLEADS GUILTY; BOUND OVER

Edward Dibell, alias Almar, arrested in Muncie, Indiana, several days ago for stealing an automobile from Lima, pleaded guilty to the charge in criminal court yesterday, and was bound over to the grand jury under \$500 bond. He stated that the reason that he gave the name Almar when arrested, was because he had parents living in Massillon. Dolph Curtis, 17, arrested with the other lad on the same charge, will be arraigned in juvenile court.

GAS BILLS ARE DUE ON THE FIRST OF EACH MONTH AND MUST BE PAID ON OR BEFORE THE 10TH OF THE MONTH OR THE SERVICE WILL BE SHUT OFF.

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June Clearance Sale of Merchandise

On Stock That Must Be Reduced, We Feature for This End of Week Sale Radical Unreserved Reductions

A TIME TO BUY SUITS

Women's \$17.50 smart Spring and Summer Suits black and white check, poplin, serge and gabardine in black and colors,

JUNE SALE PRICE

\$9.95

NEW SPORT STYLE SKIRTS \$2.98

Women's wide striped silverbloom and gabardine and awning stripe sport skirts in full assortment of colors, worth \$5.

JUNE SALE PRICE

\$2.98

WOMEN'S \$25.00 COATS NOW \$15.00

Women's novelty plaid coats, checks, stripes, plain serges and gabardine, all colors, lined and unlined belted and flare styles, the \$20 to \$25 values.

June Sale Price \$15.00.



Our Style preparedness is adequate for every good dress occasion.

CHARMING BLOUSE WAISTS FOR \$3.98

Women's silk crepe, narrow and wide stripe, tub silk, georgette crepe, voile and batiste, in a wide range of colors.

June Sale Price \$3.98

NEW \$10 DRESSES FOR \$7.50

Women's \$10 quality of one and two piece coat style dresses in voile, crepe, linen, poplin and sport style stripes.

JUNE SALE PRICE

\$7.50

A GREAT COAT VALUE AT \$11.95

Women's \$15 and \$20 Spring and Summer coats. White chinchilla, shepherds check, gurnsey, golfine, etc., in all colors, nothing but good styles.

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WOMEN'S CAMISOLES AND CORSET COVERS

Special offering of women's lace trimmed silk crepe-de-chine camisole and corset covers, white and pink 36 to 44.

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\$1.98 PRINTED CHIFFON, \$1.19

\$1.50 and \$1.98 Printed chiffon suitable for waists and combination dresses, light and dark colors.

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50c CREPE DE CHINE ONLY 33c

50c washable silk and cotton crepe de chine in dainty printed floral patterns, for waists and dresses.

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ONE YARD WIDE KIMONO SILK, 35c

The 50c A. B. C. Kimono silk 36 in. wide, light blue, navy and black ground with floral patterns.

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50c BUYS THREE 25c HAND-KERCHIEFS

Women's 25c pussy willow silk handkerchiefs in white and party shades, with contrasting hems.

June Sale Price 3 for 50c.

A BIG SAVING ON DRESS SHIELDS

Kleinerts 25c and 35c Olympica Brand "No Odor" light weight and washable shields, all sizes.

June Sale Price, 15c.

20c REDUCTION ON SILK BELTS

Women's 69c sport stripe belts of faille silk, black and white, navy and white, green and white.

June Sale Price, 49c

June Sale of Men's Women's and Children's Hose

SPECIAL ON WOMEN'S BLACK LISLE HOSE

Women's 35c quality black lisle thread hose complete line of sizes.

June Sale Price 23c.

MEN'S SILK PLAID HOSE, 19c

Men's 25c grade fine silk plaid hose in black and white only. All sizes.

June Sale Price, 19c.

3 PAIR CHILDREN'S 50c HOSE FOR \$1.00

Children's 50c black fast colored Wayne Knit silk lisle hose.

June Sale Price, 33½c

Men's, Women's and Boys' Summer Underwear

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS FOR 25c

Women's Summer union suits in loose or tight knee style, a very special bargain.

June Sale Price, 25c.

MEN'S UNION SUITS, ONLY 59c

A fine quality of gauze lisle union suit for men's Summer wear.

June Sale Price, 59c.

SUMMER SHIRTS AND DRAWERS FOR BOYS

Boys' nice fine quality summer underwear in shirts and drawers.

June Sale Price, 19c.

June Bargains In the Basement Section

A SPLENDID WASH GOODS VALUE

25c quality forty-inch wide neat striped voile, wash goods for summer wear.

June Sale Price, 15c.

25c WHITE WAISTINGS, 18c

One lot of fine sheer white summer waistings, good value at 25c the yard.

June Sale Price, 18c.

36 INCH WIDE POPLINS, ONLY 25c

Colored yard wide striped poplins for smart dresses and skirts, in sport styles.

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Very Interesting June Bargains on Third Floor

A RUG BARGAIN REGARDLESS OF ADVANCES

Room Rug, size 9x12 one piece velvet, splendid patterns, former price \$25.00.

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A SPECIAL ON SMALL RUGS

Size 27x54 velvet rugs worth \$1.50, in best quality of velvet big line of patterns to choose from.

June Sale Price, \$1.19.

FINE CURTAIN NETS REDUCED

One lot of \$1.50 quality fine lace curtain nets both white and cream an unusual bargain.

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STAMPED MUSLIN SLIP, 52c

One lot of fine quality hem-stitched stamped slips. Regular value 75c.

June Sale Price 52c

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One lot stamped pillow tops that are considered real good value at 75c.

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\$10 Irish linen cluny lace trimmed 36 in. centers and 72 in. scarfs, now at

June Sale Price, \$2.98.

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One lot women's fancy lace brassieres. In all sizes that are well worth 75c.

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Women's long white silk gloves in all sizes, made of best Italian Glove Silk.

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NONCOMBATANTS VALUABLE CORPS OF ENGLISH FORCES

Composed of Men Who Conscientiously Object to Fighting.

Is Held as Proof That Britain is a Free Country.

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, June 8.—Unique among all the variegated units of the armics on the continent is the British non-combatant corps—the conscientious objectors, who do not want to fight and who are not expected to fight. Not fear but conscience is their reason for being excused.

In England, where individual rights are so strongly recognized, the Quaker is not required to bear arms because it is against his religious scruples.

When compulsion was applied, another class arose. They said they had conscientious scruples against the taking of life. If they would not fight then they must work, the government decided. Where a man who enters the army under normal conditions must drill for many months before he is sent to the front, the conscientious objector is given a few days of drill, put in khaki, and sent to France at once. There he holds the spade instead of the rifle.

"There are the N. C. C.'s doing their bit," said their commander, an officer with a strip of colors on his breast, who had been in several campaigns and was so badly wounded in this war that he was hardly fit for active service. "They got the same pay as the men in the trenches and the same rations, with the extra allowance of meat which is given to the laborers' corps."

At the time, the N. C. C.'s were engaged in some railway work. Virtually all are men unused to manual labor; but though it was pretty hard at first they said they would be inured to it in time. One was a B. A. of Cambridge University. None had any complaints to make. The majority were clerks, and those who were not were usually shopkeepers. Many were members of the Plymouth Brethren, a sect which holds much the same views as the Quakers. These said that it was against their creed to fight and they would not renounce their creed. They spoke quite frankly about the charge of cowardice which is made against them, and seemed to realize that they were the anathema and laughing stock of the millions of their fellow countrymen who are offering their lives for Britain.

"I do not want to kill anybody. I do not believe in war," one said. As an exponent of passive resistance he was ready to work at command, but no powers could make him fight. "If we are sent up to work under shell fire I think that you will find that most of us will not flinch," he added.

One of the unilitary characteristics which amuse the average British soldier is that the N. C. C.'s will address one another as "Mister." One mentioned that their conversation around the mess table was very "intellectual" and thoroughly enjoyable.

"If you want any proof that England is a free country," said a sergeant of regulars, "you have it in this lot. How much of a chance would a band of conscientious objectors stand up the German army? Meanwhile the fighting army protects them from the enemy and from public opinion. But let them have their way. There aren't many of them."

A shirker may not suddenly become a conscientious objector in order to escape service. Anyone who aspires to the N. C. C. must prove that he held conscientious scruples against fighting before the war. One conscientious objector has already deserted. This backslider decided to fight and he is back in England drilling in a line regiment.

G. A. R.

PUBLIC FORUM

The Justice of God.
"How can it be just for a hundred innocent children to be drowned on a sinking steamer?" asks the man-in-the-street with the air of one who has given us a hard nut to crack.
Is there really anything more mysterious about a hundred being drowned than about one being drowned? The justice or injustice involved has no relationship to numbers. It is just as difficult to show why one child should drown as why a thousand should drown. But the question contains two indications of a misconception. One is the use of

the word "innocent" which would seem to indicate that the supposed justice rests somewhat, at least, upon the fact that the victims were children and that the injustice would not have been so great had they been grown-up people. Perhaps by that time they would have done something to deserve drowning! The other misconception lies in the idea implied that something or somebody besides the victim has caused or permitted the disaster. But not so. A misfortune is only the reaction of self-generated causes. There is nobody so manipulating things that some shall reap rewards and others shall suffer punishments. These are only consequences. It is not the business of somebody to drown "innocent" children.

The popular notion is that the soul of a child has been very recently created and therefore it is innocent of all wrong-doing and cannot possibly deserve the fate of a sudden and terrifying death. But it is this very idea that makes such deaths utterly inexplicable. Is it logical to believe that millions of innocent children are brought into the world by God only to meet death? Such a notion belongs to days far gone when theologians taught that many babes were but "kindling wood for hell." Test that old idea that the human soul is a sudden creation with any of the facts, and you will find that it is inconsistent with the idea of divine justice. It is only by the hypothesis that we have lived other lives, that through thousands of years in the past we have been generating forces which are now determining the pleasures and pains, the peace and strife, the security or disaster of this life that any justice can be seen in the tragedies that fill the world.

If we keep in mind the fact that the soul represented in the physical world by the body of a child is as old as the soul represented by the adult body, and has as many blunders of the past to set right, we will no longer marvel that the same kind of reaction strikes each. Perfect justice as well as science demands that every cause must be followed by a corresponding effect. A misfortune is only the reaction of a cause we generated in the past.

L. W. ROGERS,
Krotona, Hollywood, Los Angeles, Calif.

SCOTT'S CROSSING

Ell Leist was so unfortunate as to fall from the bridge abutment which jared him up quite a bit.

Dennis Cox of Lima, was here Monday.

F. C. Myers and wife were at Lima Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Gast returned home with them and they motored to Van Wert Saturday evening and remained over Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ditto.

D. H. Myers and T. H. Luttrell were at Lima, Saturday.

Preaching at Middletown, Sunday morning, children's services in the evening.

Sunday school at Morris chapel Sunday morning, and children's services, Sunday evening.

Mr. Alonzo Stuckey of Lima, was guest at Truman Baxters, Sunday.

Ell Leist was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Easttown, Sunday.

Miss Naylor and Scott Carl of Lima, and Neal Lora of West Cairo were Sunday guests of Vestie and Grace Scott.

Mr. Frank Evans of Warsaw, Ind., was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Scott, Tuesday.

A crowd of young folks from Delphos numbering about 50 enjoyed a picnic at the park, Tuesday.

Owing to the wet weather the Van Wert "kiddies" were disappointed about picnicking here Wednesday. There was to have been 500 of them. They were coming in automobiles.

MRS. FRED ZEITS DIES AT HOSPITAL

Funeral services for Mrs. Lena Estella Zeits, 29 years old, wife of Fred Zeits, farm superintendent at the state hospital, will be held Monday at 10 o'clock at the German Reformed church. The Rev. T. W. Hoernemann, pastor of the church, will officiate. Interment will be at Woodlawn.

Mrs. Zeits died this morning at 12:30 o'clock at the City hospital. For 12 years she had been ill from liver trouble. She was born on April 27, 1877, in Perry township, and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin. She was a member of Shawnee lodge of Rebekahs. The husband and a daughter are left. The family resided on the state hospital grounds, north of the city.

By order of the Secretary.

MOTHER OF LIMA WOMEN DIES AT HOME NEAR KALIDA

Mrs. A. Vandivier, of 930 Brice avenue, and Mrs. John Faudree, of 525 East Elm street, have been informed of the death of their mother, Mrs. John Knever, 70 years of age, which occurred yesterday morning at 9 o'clock at her home near Kalida. Mrs. Knever was a pioneer resident of Putnam county, having lived near Kalida her entire life. Death was due to complications. She was the mother of eight children.

Funeral services will be held on Monday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Michael's Catholic church in Kalida, where she was a life-long member. The Rev. Father Muehe, pastor, will celebrate the mass. The body will be laid to rest in St. Michael's Catholic cemetery.

Ambulance Trips

The son of Frank Deprato, who has been at the city hospital, was removed to the family home at 360 South Union street today, in the Eckert invalid coach.

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Fancy beef roasts, your choice.....	15c lb.
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Leg yearling lamb, extra nice.....	17½c lb.
Best boil, meaty rib boiling beef.....	11½c lb.
Sirloin steak, cut from native steers.....	20c lb.
Pork chops, all lean loin chops.....	20c and 21c lb.
Fresh pork sausage, this sale.....	12½c lb.
Fresh pork liver, only.....	5c lb.
Fresh pig hearts for baking.....	10c lb.
Fancy smoked hams, 10 to 12 lbs. each.....	20c lb.
Extra fancy smoked bacon, 24c grade.....	21c lb.
Nice tender beef steak, only.....	18c lb.
Fresh meaty spare ribs.....	10c lb.
Fresh ground beef for hamburger.....	13c lb.
25 lbs. H. & E. Cane Sugar for.....	\$1.98
3-5c cans milk for.....	12c
Fancy York state limberger.....	22c lb.
Full cream cheese, very mild.....	22c lb.
Our 19c grade coffee, Saturday.....	15c lb.
2-10c cans corn for.....	15c
3 lbs. bulk laundry starch.....	10c
15c package Snowboy washing powder.....	10c
All laundry soaps.....	4c bar
Highest grade white oleo.....	20c lb.

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ENORMOUS STOCK OF MEN'S SUITS, \$10.00 TO \$12.50 VALUE, REDUCED DOWN TO

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50c Men's Union Suits B. V. D. style. Dissolution Sale. 38c Men's \$1.50 Khaki Pants Tan color, best work pants for summer months. Dissolution Sale. 98c \$1.50 Black Traveling Bags Large, medium and small size, cow hide corners. Dissolution Sale. 98c \$1.50 Suit Cases Tan and Black Fibre and Matting Cases, large size. Dissolution Sale. 95c \$5.00 Men's Raincoat Tan, grey and stripes. Dissolution Sale. \$2.98	\$5 Men's Panama Hats Fine quality, all shapes. Dissolution Sale. \$2.98 10c Men's Dress Socks Black, tan and assorted colors. Fine gauge thread. Dissolution Sale. 6½c 35c Men's Dress Suspenders Fine Hiale web, leather tips. Dissolution Sale. 19c 75c Men's Dress Shirts New spring and summer patterns. Dissolution Sale. 48c SHOES Ladies', Men's, Boys' and Misses' Shoes at prices lower than ever. BOYS' SUITS At Almost Half Price 49c	\$3.00 to \$4.00 Men's Dress Pants Serges and Worsted, Stag made; every pair guaranteed. Dissolution Sale. \$1.98 \$2.00 to \$3.00 Men's Straw Hats All styles. Dissolution Sale. 98c 25c Boys' Union Suits Porosknit, knee length. Dissolution Sale. 19c 15c Men's White Foot Socks Fine comb yarn, seamless. Dissolution Sale. 9c \$1.00 Men's Sport Shirts In stripes, plain white, tan and blue. Dissolution Sale. 49c
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OPIATES STOLEN FROM VETERINARY

Medicine Case With Certain
Drugs Missing, Found
in Hohl Block.

Police were informed today of the theft of a medicine case from the office of Dr. H. F. Fallor, veterinary surgeon, yesterday. The case was later found in the basement of the Hohl saloon on South Main street, with nothing missing except a quantity of drugs and opiates.

It is the belief of Fallor and police that local persons addicted to the drug habit have had their supply cut off, are taking strenuous means to obtain it.

Local police are of the opinion that the three persons arrested last week on charges of violating the Harrison narcotic law supplied users of drugs in Lima. It has been notified by the department that shortly following the arrest and confinement of persons on such a charge in this city, those whose supply is cut off have made desperate attempts to obtain narcotics.

Owing to the fact that Fallor's office, at 227 South Pierce, is open at all times during the day, he is unable to determine who stole the case. The fact that nothing was missing from the case but drugs is positive proof that "dope" users perpetrated the theft, police claim. Police have been notified with information which is believed will establish the identity of the thief or thieves.

DAMAGES ASKED.

Claiming that the animal he purchased of G. W. McKnight for use on their breeding farm was not up to the standard required, William D. East and others, in court today, asked for damages in the sum of \$150. McKnight is said to have declared the animal would serve their exact purpose. The East brothers declare it in no way fulfills the required conditions, nor suited their purpose.

The case was heard before Judge William Klinger and a jury, which received the case for deliberation at a late hour this afternoon.

CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL.

Funeral services for John Cunningham, who died yesterday noon at his home at 532 North West street, will be held Monday morning at 8:45 o'clock at St. Rose Catholic church, where deceased was a devout worshipper. The body will be laid to rest at Gethsemani.

THE IDLER

Thousands of persons visited the "Safety First" exhibit of the United States government, yesterday, and passed through the ten cars filled with interesting models, pictures, etc. The all-steel train composed of 12 cars left the city last night for Chicago, where it will make its next stop.

Gale Denton, employee of the Locomotive Corporation, was arrested last night on a charge of disorderly conduct. The warrant on which he was arrested was sworn to by Mrs. Jesse Hedrick, of 617 Michael avenue. The latter alleges that Denton used vile words toward her. The trial is set for Saturday in criminal court.

Clarence Coffman, of this city, pleaded guilty to a charge of abandonment in the court of Justice of the Peace Hamilton, yesterday. He was bound over to the grand jury.

The Rev. Joseph H. Benton, D. D., superintendent of Home Missions of the state of Idaho, will speak morning and evening at the Market Street Presbyterian church. Special music will be a feature of both services.

Services will be held in the Lutheran church at West Cairo on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The sermon will be by the pastor, the Rev. W. E. Speyer.

Mrs. Philip Roessler of 525 West McKibben street, who was injured when the horse she and her husband were driving on Decoration day, ran away on Lakewood avenue, has recovered sufficiently to be removed to her home.

"Turkey and the Great War" will be the subject from which the Rev. C. B. Bucher will speak on Sunday.

FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them With the Othello Prescription.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion, that it is sold by any druggist under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of Othello and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely. Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength Othello; it is this that is sold on the money-back guarantee.

evening. The address will be illustrated by 75 colored stereoscopic views, showing the plight of the Armenians, their rescue by the French fleet, the bombardment and destruction of Van, the typhus plague of Harpoot, and the massacre of the Armenians.

The Rev. Cecil Franklin and his family, the former of whom assumed his duties at the South Side Church of Christ as pastor for the first time last Sunday, have taken up their residence at 140 East Circular street. They came here from South Bend, Ind.

Miss Katherine Yeakum will sing a solo at the Sunday morning service at the First Congregational church. In the evening Mrs. Alon Kable Mowen and Mrs. Schaefer will sing, "Room in My Heart." Mrs. Mowen is director of the church choir.

Members of the Needlecraft club will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. J. Simons of Spencerville road.

Tuesday evening there will be a dance and card party at Memorial hall for the benefit of the Day Nursery. Admission is 25 cents.

George Hicks, arrested yesterday on a charge of fighting, received a

bearing in criminal court this morning and was fined \$1 and costs.

POLICE SHOOT DOG ON OWNER'S PORCH; CITIZENS INDIGNANT

(Continued from page one)

the leader's misdeed. It was an extremely close shave. The campaign in the southern part of the city resulted in a total of 21 dog poits. Visits to other sections of the city will be made until all unmuzzled members of the canine tribe are exterminated. Following the success achieved by use of the police patrol yesterday, Chief McKinney stated that in the future it would be placed at the disposal of the sharpshooters.

Residents on the west side of town complain that scores of dogs are running at large unmuzzled. In this section many canines are known to have fought with the mad dog which ran amuck a few days ago.

The Newest Auto Headwear and Veils At- tractively Priced

What are deemed up-to-the-minute styles are here for your choosing in all the prevailing colors and combinations.

Auto Hats at 50c, 69c, 98c and \$1.50.
Chiffon Veils at 50c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.98 and up.

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\$1.50 Waists Slightly Soiled 49c	\$2 House Dresses New Dresses 79c	\$7.50 Coats New Spring Coats \$3.98
\$5.00 Raincoats All Sizes \$1.98	\$7.50 Silk Waists Latest Styles, Crepes and Stripes \$3.98	\$7.50 Skirts Mostly Checks, beautiful styles, all sizes \$3.98

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\$1.00 TO \$150—35 PIECE ALUMINUM SET.
\$150 TO \$200—A READING LAMP.
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\$250 TO \$300—A DOME.
\$300 TO \$350—A TALKING MACHINE
\$350 UP—A LEATHER ROCKER.

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**Old Hickory
Porch Basket**
Regular \$1.00 value. Special for Saturday only.
39c

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Finished in fumed oak; hung free; regular \$3.50. Special price.
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Tungsten Lights
25 and 40 watt, regular 35c. Saturday only.
21c

Refrigerators
Galvanized linings, holds 50 lbs. ice; regular \$9.00. Saturday Special.
\$6.95

4 ROOMS
FURNISHED COMPLETE
\$119.75

\$168.75

5 ROOMS
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High Art In Clothes

The designers of young men's clothes made by Hart Schaffner & Marx are artists in every sense of the word. They create a picture, just as the man who works with a palette creates a picture.

There's an exhibition of these pictures here now that you ought to see; wonderful young men's styles; Varsity Fifty-five in many variations; sport coats, belt backs —"Pinch backs."

The store is the home of the liveliest young men's styles. Suits\$18, \$20, \$23, \$25 and up
The latest Straw Hats \$1 to \$5
Panama Hats \$5 to \$8
Silk Shirts \$1.50 to \$5
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ORDINANCE, NO. 192

Determining to proceed with the improvement of Charles street from Elm street to Lakewood Avenue, by paving, etc.

Be it ordained by the Council of the

7. This Resolution shall be pub-

Adopted June 8, 1918. Chas. F. Price,
resident of Council. Attest, James L.
Warner, Clerk of Council Approved, June
1918 R H Simpson, Mayor of City of
St. Louis. 6-8-Strizak

GRADE PUPILS GET REPORT CARDS; JOY!

It was with happy hearts the children of the public schools walked from the various grade buildings today, after they had secured their report cards and knew that they need think no more of real school duties until early in September. The children took their books and cards and bid their teachers good-bye this afternoon. In few cases only, children failed to be promoted.

Certificates entitling them to enter high school were given to 366 boys and girls of the eighth grades of the various buildings this morning, after exercise held at Memorial hall. Practically all of this number will be ready for high school entrance next year. Few manifested a desire to give up their school duties, preferring to secure every bit of education possible under the public Pearson of Columbus, state superintendent of public instruction, talked school system. The Hon. Frank B. Pearson of Columbus, state superintendent of public instruction, talked to the class.

The festivities of graduation week will close with the commencement, to be held this evening at Memorial hall, when 126 graduates will be given diplomas. State Superintendent Pearson will deliver the address on "World Builders". The High school orchestra will play and the High school Choral club will sing. Prof. Mark Evans, supervisor of music in the public schools, will direct the musical numbers.

PYTHIAN MEMORIAL SERVICE SUNDAY

The annual memorial services of Lima Lodge of Pythians, No. 91, will be held Sunday, June 11, at 2 o'clock in Castle hall on South Main street. Decoration of graves of deceased knights will be held at 10 o'clock on Sunday morning by a committee, composed of E. C. Baechler, James Jolley and S. M. Churchill. Seventy-seven knights and three Pythian Sisters have answered the final call.

The Rev. Franklin A. Stiles will deliver the address. Mrs. J. W. Tucker will give the eulogy and the closing prayer will be in charge of the prelate, Claude W. Preble. A quartet will sing and Mrs. John Vogelgesang will give a solo. The invocation will be by the Rev. M. C. Howey, of Epworth Methodist church. The public is invited to attend the services.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank the friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us in our bereavement in the death of our son, Ernst Hageman, also the Rev. Dunham for his consoling words.

MR. AND MRS. F. A. HAGEMAN AND FAMILY.

MOVIE INTERESTS ORGANIZE.

NEW YORK, June 9.—A committee of 13 men representing the principal branches of the moving picture industry will present a plan for a new national organization intended to supersede the present motion picture board of trade, combat adverse legislation and bring about harmony in the trade. The committee was appointed after a conference here yesterday of about 100 representatives of film manufacturers, exhibitors and distributors.

NEW JAP AMBASSADOR.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Japan's new ambassador to the United States Amoro Sato, probably will assume the duties of his post about September 1, it was said here today. Mr. Sato, now an attache of the Japanese foreign office, succeeds Viscount Chinda, the newly appointed ambassador to Great Britain. Sato formerly was ambassador to Austria. His appointment was made known here last night.

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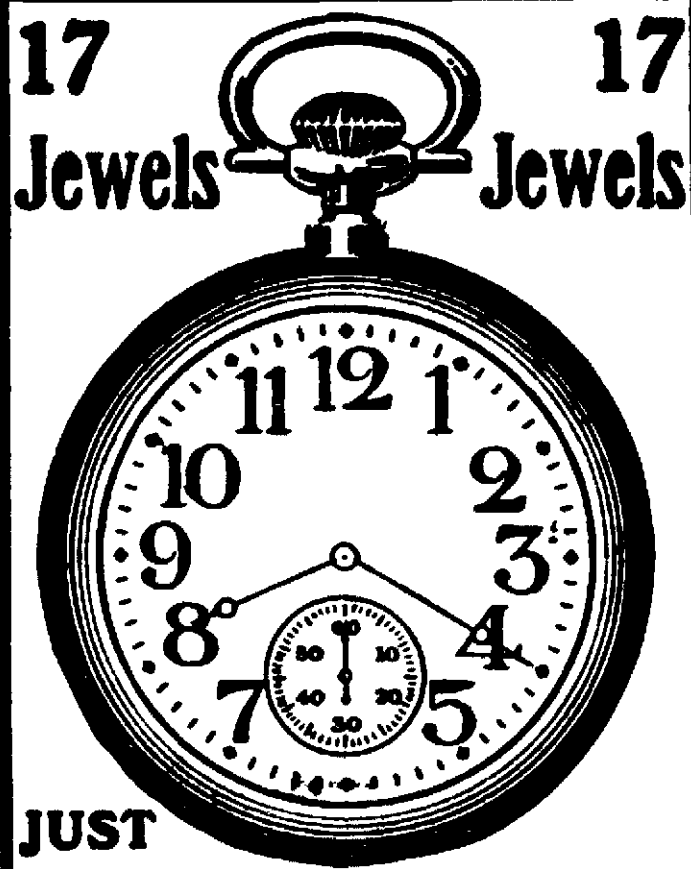
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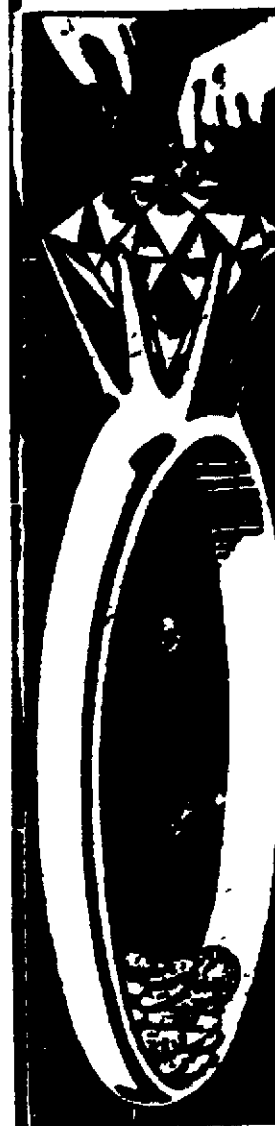
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